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REBEL AEROPLANE SINKS SUBMARINE

CRUISER HIT FROM SHORE Insurgent Craft May Fail to Make Port BOTH SIDES LAY CLAIM TO VICTORIES

Paris, Aug. 20.

A report from Cadiz states an insurgent aeroplane sank a Government submarine off Cadiz yesterday.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

ON ROAD TO BADAJOZ

Madrid, Aug. 20.

The way to Badajoz has been opened by a Government victory at Estramadura, according to official claims. The loyalists are said to have captured Alia, in the Guadalupe mountains, in an attempt to drive the rebels from Badajoz.

The position in Madrid is also much improved, it is stated by the War Ministry, and the Minister declared after a Cabinet meeting: "The enemy has been prevented from crossing the Guadarramas. To-day marks the beginning of the end for them."

"The Government," he added, "routed an insurgent column in the district of Navalperal and the area is cleared of them."

WARSHIP SINKING

The Almirante Cervera, the only rebel warship with anti-aircraft guns, is stated to be sinking and unable to reach Ferrol for repairs. She was last seen slowly steaming towards Gijon, with a heavy list.—*Reuter.*

Irun Bombarded

Two rebel planes flew over Irun to-day without doing any damage when they dropped four bombs near the hospital. The attack is said to have followed rebel warnings to evacuate the hospitals since the bombardment would be renewed.

Anti-aircraft guns in vain strove to down the bombers. Earlier, Fort San Marcos shelled the battleship Espana, and struck one funnel. The extent of the damage to the ship is unknown, but she headed for Ferrol without replying to the fort's fire.—*United Press.*

Rebels Undismayed

An official rebel communique says the Government forces are renewing the attack in the Guadarramas. Their aerial bombardment inflicted no material damage. The rebels counter-attacked successfully. "Our march on San Sebastian continues," said the communique. "Our forces are also advancing and combating the enemy in the Guadarramas and Malaga sectors."—*United Press.*

Severe Fighting

Loyalist volunteer militia is reported to have scaled the hills beyond Irun last night and to have captured the heights of Antiojo, killing thirty Carlist Monarchists and capturing eight. It is understood the rebels captured a loyalist field battery only 100 yards from the San Sebastian boundary and that they are at present encamped on the outskirts of the city.—*United Press.*

General Situation

Madrid, Aug. 20. It is semi-officially stated that the loyalists repulsed a new rebel attack in Navalperal area and are at present repelling the insurgent offensive on three fronts, in the west, south-west and north. The loyalist commander in Navalperal has telephoned Madrid asking for 1,500 reinforcements. It is reported that rebel western and south-western columns, including native troops in addition to Spanish Foreign Legionnaires, are pushing forward, but loyalists are said to have repulsed a force of Moorish irregulars and Fascists.—*United Press.*

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

FREELY ADMITS OWN SHARE OF CRIME

"STALIN MUST BE DESTROYED"

Moscow, Aug. 20.

"I plead guilty before the working class of the world because I know every word pronounced is universally broadcast," declared M. Grigori Zinovieff, speaking before the courtroom microphone when answering the charge that he, with others, had plotted against the life of Dictator Stalin and other leaders of Russia.

For two hours, Zinovieff, a shadow of his former self, described the plot to kill Stalin without an effort to defend himself. He confirmed all the prosecution's allegations and explained the chances of a coup seemed best in 1932 because of the unfavourable economic conditions.

The possibility of seizing power resulted in the formation of the bloc of Trotsky, Zinovieff and Bukharin factions. The entire Soviet press continues a violent agitation against the defendants and demands the death sentence for all.

KAMENEFF TESTIFIES

At the resumption of the trial to-day, Kameneff testified that Trotsky, Zinovieff and himself were the organisers of the terrorist plot. They were angry with the party leadership and craved power from which they were excluded by the progress of historical events.

In August, 1934, it was decided to hasten the terrorist activities and during this period Trotsky received, through Drolitor, directions (Continued on Page 5.)



General Francisco Franco, commanding the southern rebels in Spain, is pushing columns towards key points and is confident of success.

TWO KINGS MEET AT CORFU

EDWARD TO STAY A FEW DAYS WITH GEORGE OF GREECE

Corfu, Aug. 21.

King Edward VIII in the course of his holiday cruise reached this port yesterday afternoon and an immense crowd thronged the quayside when the yacht, Nahlin, steamed into the harbour, accompanied by two British destroyers which are escorting His Majesty during his voyage.

A salute of twenty-one guns thundered and King George of Greece boarded the Nahlin and remained with King Edward to dine.

King Edward lands to-day and lunches with King George at the Villa Mibelli and is expected to remain at Corfu for a few days.—*Reuter.*

SAILS FOR GREECE

London, Aug. 20.

King Edward VIII's cruise along the Yugo-Slavin coast ended when His Majesty sailed for the Greek islands, where he will spend the remainder of his holidays.

The King is calling at Corfu, where he is expected to meet King George of Greece, who is also holidaying in the town.

Although the King is travelling incognito, the populace at Corfu is preparing a semi-official welcome, and it is understood that national dances in national dress, as well as other entertainments, have been arranged for the visit.—*Reuter Special.*

Beloved Jester Laid To Rest

OPERA MELODIES AT FUNERAL

London, Aug. 20.

A jester's sticks lay on a black velvet cushion beside the coffin when lovers of Gilbert and Sullivan operas said good-bye to the late Sir Henry Lytton as his remains were cremated at Golders Green.

They were the two jolly sticks which Sir Henry held night after night in the character of Jack Point in "Yeomen of the Guard."

Three melodies were played from operas with which Sir Henry's name was so closely linked—"Hail, Poetry" from "The Pirates of Penzance," "Lolanth's song to the Chancellor, and "I Hear Soft No." from "Patience."—*Reuter Special.*

OFFICERS ABROAD

Leavenworth, Aug. 20.

Lieut.-Col. Ming Ching-woon and Major Lee Yuan-kai of the Chinese General Staff, have enrolled at the General Staff School here.—*United Press.*

GERMANS THREATEN MADRID

WILL MEET FORCE WITH FORCE

GREAT BRITAIN SHOWS CONCERN

Berlin, Aug. 20.

Rear-Admiral Carls, commander of German warships in Spanish waters, has sent a threatening message to the Spanish naval command, saying Germany would "answer force with force," in the event of a repetition of the Kamerun incident. The Kamerun was stopped by gunfire from Spanish warships yesterday and searched by Spanish seamen.

"I am not disposed to tolerate such an act of force," declared Rear-Admiral Carls.

Meanwhile, *Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung*, in a typical editorial, asserts: "Germany will adhere to a policy of non-interference, but incidents like this, and Moscow's interference, are apt to make the efforts of European illuory and create a serious situation. The Government is unable to endure such arbitrary action."—*United Press.*

ANOTHER CONDITION

Berlin, Aug. 20.

Another preliminary condition has arisen for Germany' participation in the general Spanish neutrality plan, according to a Government spokesman. He indicated that though negotiations had not been broken off, Germany would require a satisfactory answer from the Spanish Government concerning the Kamerun incident, which must be satisfactorily settled. Admiral Graf Spee, the cruiser Leipzig and the torpedo-boat, accompanied by Admiral Bohm, have left Kiel to relieve the other German warships in Spanish waters.

Official circles declare this movement was decided on some time ago. Admiral Reuter has flown to Berchtesgaden to confer with Herr Adolf Hitler.—*Reuter.*

BRITISH CONCERN

London, Aug. 20.

Britain takes a serious view of the possibility of failure of the Spanish non-intervention negotiations, endangered by the Berlin protest over the Kamerun incident.—*United Press.*

SPANISH BLOCKADE

London, Aug. 20.

Great Britain has asked the Spanish Government for a clearer explanation of the intended blockade. The Spanish Government some time ago issued a decree declaring a blockade of certain areas in Spanish waters and a second decree has since been issued which has occasioned the British request for a more exact definition. The British Government has hitherto not recognised the blockade.—*Reuter Bulletin Service.*

HORTHY VISITS VIENNA

SETS POLITICAL TONGUES WAGGING MAY PLAN TO SEE HITLER

Vienna, Aug. 21.

Speculation has been aroused by the sudden arrival in Vienna of Admiral Horthy, Regent of Hungary. It is pointed out in political circles that this is the first time Admiral Horthy has left Hungary since he assumed the regency. Moreover, he has left on a Hungarian national holiday.

An official communique merely states that Admiral Horthy is the guest of the Austrian Government for a hunting expedition into North Tyrol.

It is rumoured that Admiral Horthy may be joined by Dr. Kurt Schuschnigg, the Austrian Chancellor, and that they may meet Herr Adolf Hitler, Germany's Chancellor, later on at Berchtesgaden or in some other spot in Bavaria. No confirmation is forthcoming, however.—*Reuter.*

FAIR WEATHER

Pressure is highest over the Pacific to the east of Japan, and relatively low in a trough extending from Luzon to the Western Carolines. Local forecast:—S.W. or variable winds, light to moderate; fair.

WHERE RIVAL FORCES FIGHT



The above map shows the cities affected by the major fighting between loyal and rebel forces in Spain to-day. San Sebastian, near the French border, is closely besieged by rebels and Burgos, further south, is in their hands. There is fighting for Oviedo and Coruna further west. Around Madrid, in central Spain, the rebels continue to press with varying success. There is likely to be heavy fighting around Badajoz in Estramadura, and Cordoba, in Andalusia. Seville, Granada, and La Laguna also are threatened by rebel columns in the south, but only the first named is in insurgent hands.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS MAY HELP CHINA CRUSH SMUGGLING MENACE

Shanghai, Aug. 21.

Chinese are interestedly, and with some concern, watching the peregrinations of the Japanese Ambassador, Mr. Shigeru Kawagoe, in North China, believing his visit will profoundly affect future Sino-Japanese relations.

Well-informed quarters expect Mr. Kawagoe, on his return to Nanking early in September, will renew the Japanese pressure for acceptance of "suggestions" for the reduction of Chinese import tariffs as the price for co-operation in stamping out smuggling which is now not only undermining the entire economic structure of China but is seriously affecting Nanking's revenue in the rich Yangtse Valley, to which smuggled goods are penetrating.

Mr. Kawagoe is convening the North China Japanese military attaches at Tientsin on Saturday which is considered most significant, in view of the general belief that the Ambassador has been in conference with the Japanese Commander-in-Chief in North China and General Takayoshi Matsumura, successor to General Doihara as head of the Special Service Department of the Japanese Army. He also talked with representatives of the Japanese Foreign and Naval Ministries sent especially from Tokyo, indicating that Mr. Kawagoe's visit is an important element in the future of Japanese relations with China.

Kawagoe's Objectives

Observers believe that Japan, having fretfully watched Nanking proceed to liquidate the Kwangtung-Kwangsi situation, is now determined to exert pressure for concessions affecting Sino-Japanese economic relations before Marshal Chiang Kai-shek, now in Canton, can clear up the Kwangsi problem and face foreign affairs with a clean domestic slate, backed by a united country.

The Tenor of Mr. Kawagoe's Objectives

The tenor of Mr. Kawagoe's objectives has also been indicated in an interview he gave to the foreign press in Peking when he stated that he had advised General Sung Chih-yuan, the Chahar leader, to seek Japanese technical and financial aid in the economic development of North China. General Sung is alleged to have agreed in principle. Mr. Kawagoe is of the opinion that future discussions should be between Chinese and Japanese officials in North China and not at Nanking. Asked if he would insist on Mr. Koki Hirota's principles, Mr. Kawagoe replied: "If necessary we will negotiate with the Chinese Government, whether the principles are accepted or not."

He said he advised General Sung (Continued on Page 5.)

"DEVILISH" TRAFFIC IN HEROIN

11 CHINESE SENT TO PRISON

CHIEF JUSTICE COMMENTS

"Devilish practice" was the term applied to the drug traffic by the Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, at the Criminal Sessions this morning when he passed sentences, ranging from three to four years' hard labour, on 11 Chinese for offences under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance.

Addressing the prisoners, among whom were two women, His Lordship said: "As you are the first persons to have been charged on indictment for offences under the Dangerous Drugs Ordinance of 1935, I do not propose to pass on you sentences so severe as I reserve the right to pass on those who, at a later Sessions, are found guilty of the same offence. I say that not because I am going to pass light sentences upon you, but merely as an indication to those who may be prone to continue the practice that the sentences would be more severe."

"You have been engaged, for reasons only known to yourselves, on the most devilish practice one could imagine. I regard it as my duty to pass on you sentences which will serve not only as punishment on yourselves but, which I hope, will act as a deterrent to others. The Lordship then passed sentence of three years' hard labour on Man Yu, a 40-year-old unemployed man, the first offender to come before him, who was found guilty on a charge of possession of heroin paste and pills at 18 Tung Man Street, first floor, on June 30.

REQUEST REFUSED

A similar sentence was imposed on Lai Kai, aged 36, convicted on a charge of possession of 27,000 heroin pills at 85 Gloucester Road, third floor, on July 10. This prisoner applied for postponement of sentence for two months in order to have time to search for relatives to look after his family. The request was refused. For the possession of 12 ounces of heroin, and 155,000 heroin pills at 4 Ning Yung Terrace on July 7, 40-year-old Ng Shiu, aged 40, and Tam Siu, aged 29, were each sentenced to four years' hard labour. It was stated by Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, before the sentences were passed, that he regarded this case as the most serious of the lot.

Sentences of three and a half years' hard labour were passed on Cheung Kwai, a 30-year-old woman, Lam Tai, 22, and Woo Choi, 36, who were found guilty of possession of 30,845 heroin pills at 45a Wyndham Street, top floor, on July 29.

Addressing the woman, His Lordship said: "You are the first woman who has been found to have taken part in this abominable practice. In ordinary course the Court tends to pass a lighter sentence on a woman than on a man for the same offence, but in dealing with a traffic like this, the work could be done as easily by a woman as by a man. I am therefore not going to make any differentiation, for if I do it will merely be an encouragement to those who are employers in this kind of business to employ women."

FURTHER CASE

The same sentence was passed on Cheung See, 36, Hui Tong, 38, and Wong Vee-wah, a 27-year-old widow, who were found guilty of possession of 60 lbs. 8 ounces of pink mess, containing diacetyl morphine and 12,700 heroin pills, just before the sentences on all the offenders were imposed.

Mr. M. J. Abbott, Assistant Crown Solicitor, conducted the case against them, and the following jury was empanelled: Messrs. O. R. Benson (foreman), D.D. Forbes, H.M. Des Remedios, F. X. Gomez, J.A.T. Galvin, H. H. Mueller and Chiu Leung-cho. Mr. Abbott said that shortly after 9 a.m. on July 22, Mr. H. A. Taylor, Assistant Superintendent of Imports and Exports, accompanied by Revenue Officer A. W. Grimmit, went to the first floor of 184 Des Voeux Road. They knocked at the door, and after about two minutes, it was opened by a woman. On entering, Mr. Taylor found the floor was practically in darkness.

It appeared to be empty, but on walking to the rear wall, Mr. Taylor found two small cubicles in the corner. He entered the rear one, and in it he saw the accused sitting around a table on top of which were some pills and pink mess and other paraphernalia. Nearby was a cupboard in which were five trays containing newly-made pills and three chaffies. There was a window but it was completely covered with paper. The room was so dark that Mr. Taylor had to switch on the light. The accused were arrested, and when subsequently charged, the first prisoner said: "I have nothing to say." The second replied: "It is not mine," and the third remarked: (Continued on Page 5.)

SHANGHAI ACCEPTS CHALLENGE

TENNIS INTERPORT PLAN PROGRESSES

The North-China Daily News announces that the invitation of the Hongkong Lawn Tennis Association to the Shanghai L.T.A. to send a men's and women's team here in October or November for an interport match has been tentatively accepted.

As exclusively announced in the Telegraph, the invitation was sent to Shanghai last week. In consequence of the Shanghai L.T.A.'s decision, a selection committee has been appointed by the Association to choose players who will be approached and asked if they will be available to proceed to Hongkong. It is proposed to stage the interport either on the Double Tenth or on Armistice Day.

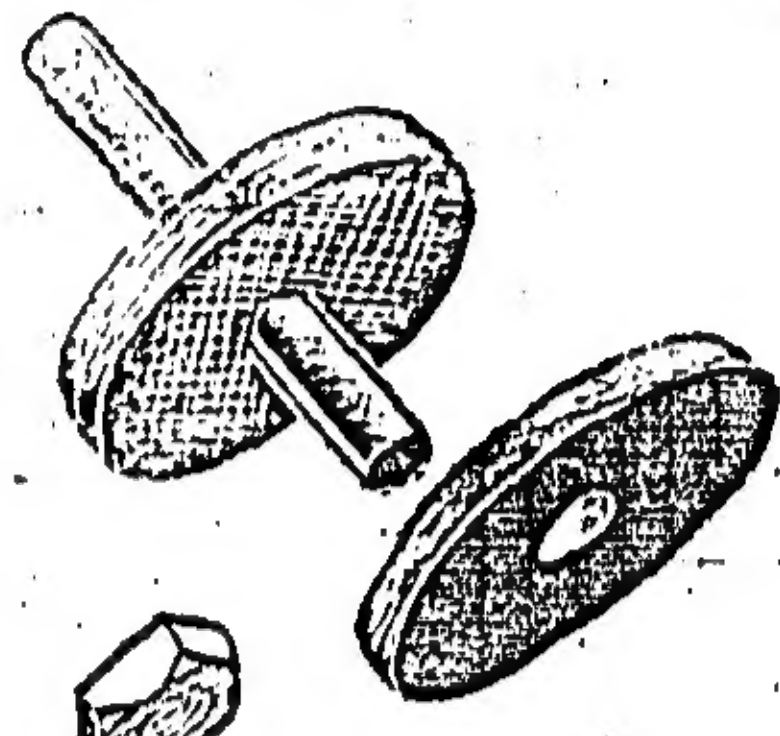
Drip Drip Drip

What's more maddening
than a leaking tap?
Read how to cure it

A LEAKING tap is like a guilty conscience. Its voice oppresses you while you are in the house, the thought of the waste of water torments the mind while you are away.

In nine cases out of ten the trouble is that the washer has gone, and the water continues to drip out of the tap when the handle is screwed right down.

It is no use screwing the tap down as far as it will go and thinking it will right itself. A leaking tap always gets worse. The greatest wear on washers is caused by screwing taps too tightly. They should always be screwed gently.



"When you have unscrewed the cap you will have the handle and an object which contains the washer, held on by a nut or screw."

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KITCHEN taps go wrong more often than others because they are more constantly used. Most kitchen taps are what are called in the plumbing world "plain bibcock". They work on a similar system, and I am going to tell you how to mend these. On no account try pulling to pieces gland plug taps or spring taps.

You can tell at once what sort of tap you have by its appearance. If the tap which you are troubled with has no resemblance to the one in the illustration, do not try to mend it; send for a plumber. Plain bibcocks are sometimes covered up with chromium shields, which unscrew easily.

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FIRST you must notice whether it is a hot tap or a cold tap that is defective, for the treatment varies with the water system. Cold taps are mostly supplied from the main water supply, especially in towns. This means that the cold water does not go into a tank, as the hot water does, but comes straight from the main in the street.

Somewhere in your house there will be a stop cock, that is to say, a tap without a spout, which when screwed down, cuts off the supply of cold water to your house. You must find this and screw it down. It is generally in a fairly obvious position where the water pipes enter your house. Sometimes it is in a hole in the ground and is worked with a key. When you have turned off the water, turn on the leaking tap full until there is no water left in the pipes.



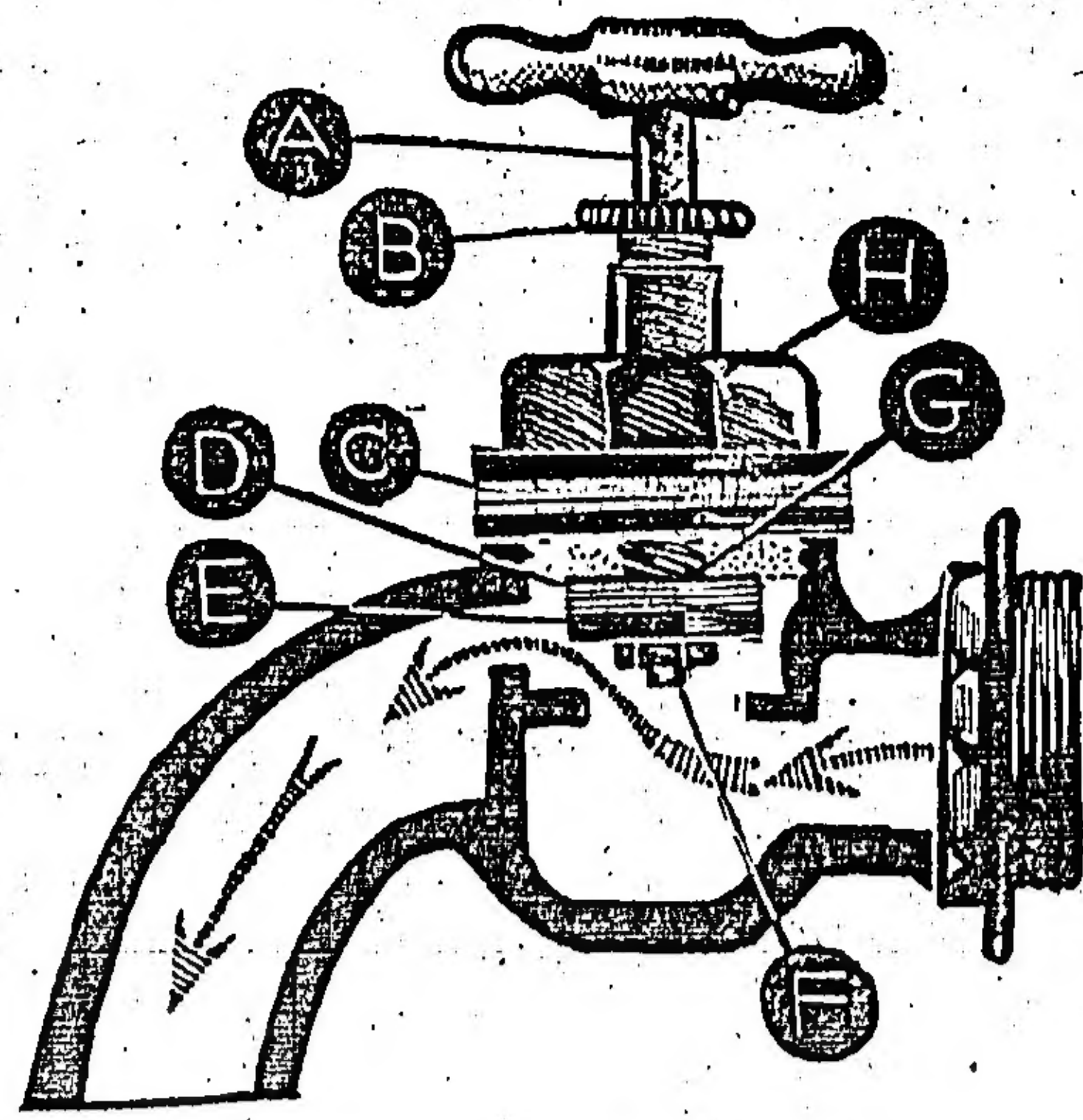
"A dripping tap is a torment to any one."

Housewives—do you know

1. What to do with a burned saucepan?
2. Which is the basis sauce for several other sauces? Suggest some variations.
3. How can you ensure that sliced apples and bananas for a fruit salad will not turn brown?
4. You like your table linen only moderately stiff. If you wash it at home, what do you do?

Answers:

1. Boil salt and water in it, then rub the burned spots with a dish-cloth dipped in salt. Now wash in the usual way.
2. A white sauce. First melt a large knob of butter in your saucepan, gradually stir in three-quarters of an ounce of flour, and stir over the fire until it boils, then allow it to simmer for ten minutes or more. Given the suitable additions, this sauce may be turned into a mushroom, parsley, shrimp, egg, anchovy or caper sauce.
3. As soon as you have peeled and sliced the fruit, sprinkle the slices with lemon juice. This will keep them white, and, if sugar is also added, will improve the flavour of the salad.
4. You will find that rice water makes an excellent light starch for anything which you require only moderately stiff.



TAP:

- A. Stem.
- B. Gland Ring.
- C. Cap Washer.
- D. Jumper.
- E. Washer.
- F. Jumper Nut.
- G. Spindle.
- H. Cap.

of the tap—that is to say, to the left. Test it gently and see.

When you have unscrewed this you will have in your hand the handle of the tap and an object at the end of it (see illustration on the left) which contains the washer, which is held on by a little nut or possibly, a screw. Undo the nut or screw with a pair of pliers and you will find the washer probably perished or split or torn away.

Remove this and substitute a new washer. Washers are made in two sizes, $\frac{3}{16}$ in. and $\frac{1}{4}$ in. for large or small taps. Washers cost a penny each from any ironmonger.

When you have fixed the washer of the right size screw up the nut or screw which keeps it in place tightly.

Now you can start fiddling about with the tap. And here you must know how a tap works. The illustration makes it far clearer than any words of mine. You will see that when the tap is screwed down on the opening no water can well through and out at the spout unless the washer is leaking. If you screw down the washer too hard on the opening, you may either break the washer or break the jumper.

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L ETS set to work to mend the tap. With an adjustable spanner unscrew the cap. Do not confuse the cap with the gland ring. The gland ring is the first screwable thing below the handle, the tap is the second. The cap will probably unscrew in an opposite direction to the handle.

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A New jumper, obtainable at an ironmonger's, should cost about sixpence. You may now have a certain amount of difficulty in keeping the jumper in the socket of the spindle while you are screwing on the cap again.

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Rub some soap on the end of the jumper and it will keep in position. Do not forget when you screw on the cap to put back the leather cap washer.

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W HEN you want to repair the washer of a hot water tap the procedure with the tap itself is the same as I have described, only you must remember to use a composition washer. But the first step, that of turning off the water at the stopcock, is different.

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You will probably find the stopcock of the hot water system is put in front of the tank, so that you have to turn the hot water taps full on and empty the tank before you can set to work to repair the washer.

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W ASHERS are not the only things which can go wrong in a tap. Sometimes whenever you turn on the water it will pour out at all places except the spout. This means that the gland packing has worn out. Do not despair, you will not have to empty the hot water tank or hunt about for a stopcock. Just turn off the tap and follow me.

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You will remember in the beginning of this article that I mentioned the gland ring, which is the first screwable looking object under the handle of the usual sort of tap.

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Unscrew this as far as it will go. You will find that when unscrewed it will reveal a cavity all round the stem of the tap. This cavity should be filled with either asbestos, gran-

phite twist, or oily, coarse-looking string. If your tap is giving trouble this twist will be in an emaciated state. Pick it all out with a piece of wire or a braidawl.

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Y OU can buy special twist for the glands of taps or you can make your own by soaking coarse string, or even that thread people use for darning, in motor grease, lard, or tallow.

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Now wind it round the spindle of the tap and poke it down with a braidawl or piece of wire that will not bend too easily, until the cavity is full. Screw on the gland ring. Do not pack the cavity too tightly.

★
John Betjeman

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Cut this article out. It will be useful for reference if YOUR tap starts dripping.

Intestinal Troubles In Hot Weather.

Food and drinks become so rapidly tainted that stomach and intestinal troubles are to be expected in summer. In any case, the heat lowers the vitality, reduces appetite and interferes with the digestion so that precautions are necessary. In order to be fit you must keep stomach and bowels clear and clean. The occasional dose of Pinkettes will do this for you pleasantly and naturally. Pinkettes remove any harmful substances eaten before they have time to do harm. As a general all round health-safeguard during the hotter months you cannot use anything finer than Pinkettes. All chemists can supply you.

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Goompy Again

WELL, it was in my Abbot's Bunting days when my daughter Goompy used to help me in smithy by nooding ho-orses when I wanted 'em to change legs while I was shoeing 'em. And a champion nooder she were, 'fount, 'fount, 'fount, 'fount. One day one of they Lanthan fellers left his car outside smithy with radio turned on, and Goompy she were in a proper ma-aze. "Eh, wirra wirra!" she said, "Eh, julla me, julla dee! Feether, is it the weyther, or be I at the end of my tyehter? What makes that voice?"

Please Read On

WELL, the feller happens along just then, and tells Goompy 'tis nobbut ra-va-a-dio. "This girl mawleycrummet!" the giggles. "Makin' fun of a simple mind like Oll! 'Tis thee ventriloquist!" And with that Goompy gave him a playful noodge in the ribs. Down he went like a wabbling puddock—completely unconscious, I assure you. But the voice went on.

And Goompy laughed, and laughed and laughed. "Feether!" she gasped. "He were right! 'Tis ra-a-a-dio! We mawn buy yin!" And so we did, and stood it in wheelbarrow.

This proves, you see, that demonstration assists sales.

SONG FOR WIVES

An expert prophesies a time "when baldness will be quite unknown, and men will keep their hair until the end of their lives." Meanwhile, I married him at twenty or maybe twenty-four; Of hair he had a plenty; And whiskers, too, galore; I loved him, I loved him, and who shall deride me for loving his handsome hair?

His hair has now been banished By Time's relentless touch; But I love him just as much; I love him, I love him, and who shall call me foolish for loving my Billiard Ball!



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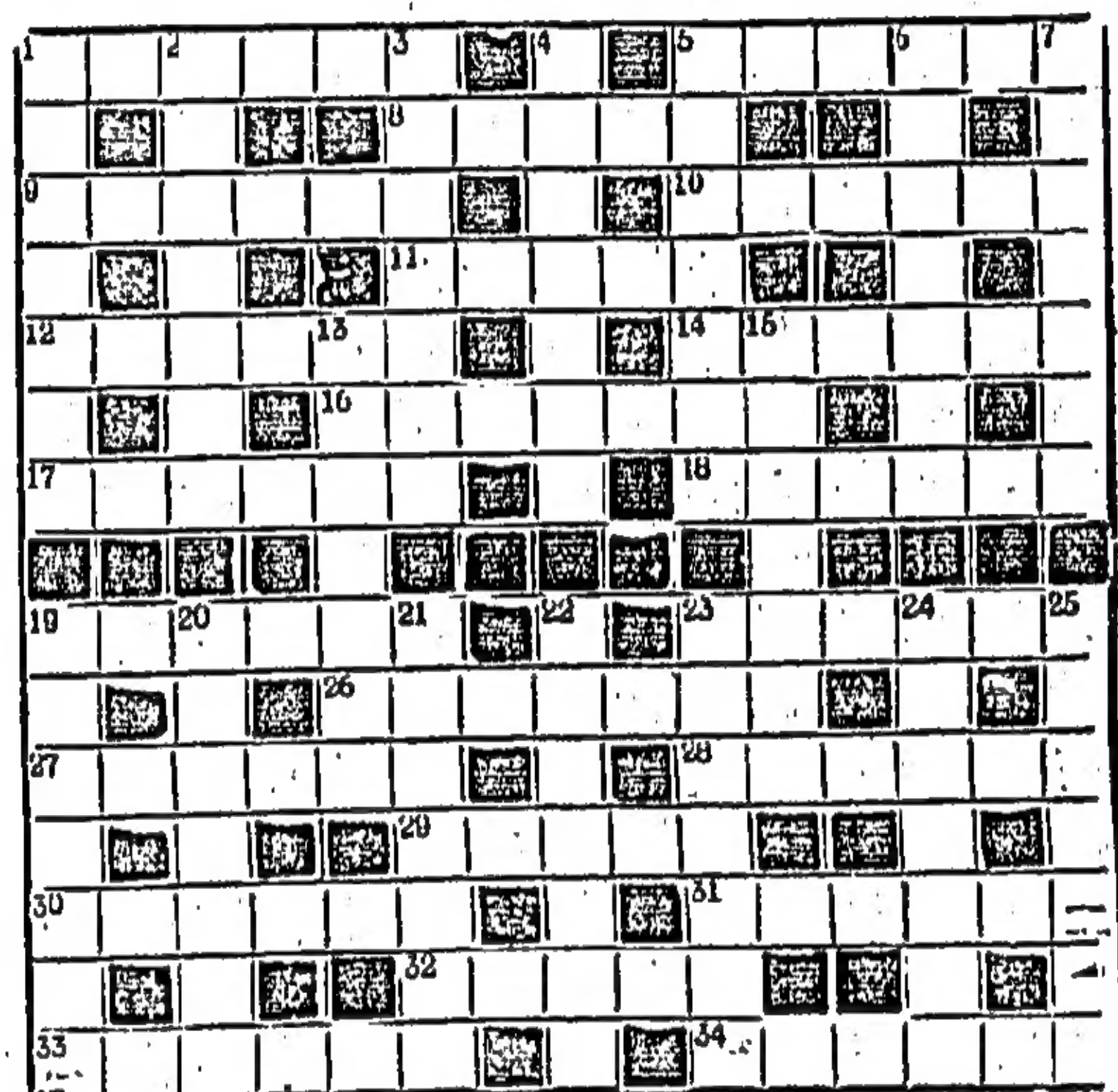
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- 5 More than dislike.
- 8 You are looking at to-day's.
- 9 What a singer might do if upset.
- 10 Hay is, and so is an ear-trumpet.
- 11 Standard measure.
- 12 For a smoker it's all right between a couple of exclamations.
- 14 About a game of golf.
- 16 Ruin an entrance for resort.
- 17 No enthusiastic description of the spiritualist.
- 18 Useful for the conjuror and recognizable in levees.
- 19 With a reddish coating, 1 and many more are suitable for the country.
- 23 Barbarian.
- 26 They are born in the country.
- 27 Gracious, is it much better than C?
- 28 A sorter appears to have recourse to a holiday spot.
- 29 The road-hog doesn't except when he encounters such roads.
- 30 Disregard.
- 31 My neighbour?
- 32 More than usually.
- 33 Call upon to appear.
- 34 Rather vulgar commotion (Hyphen 4 and 2).

Yesterday's Solution.

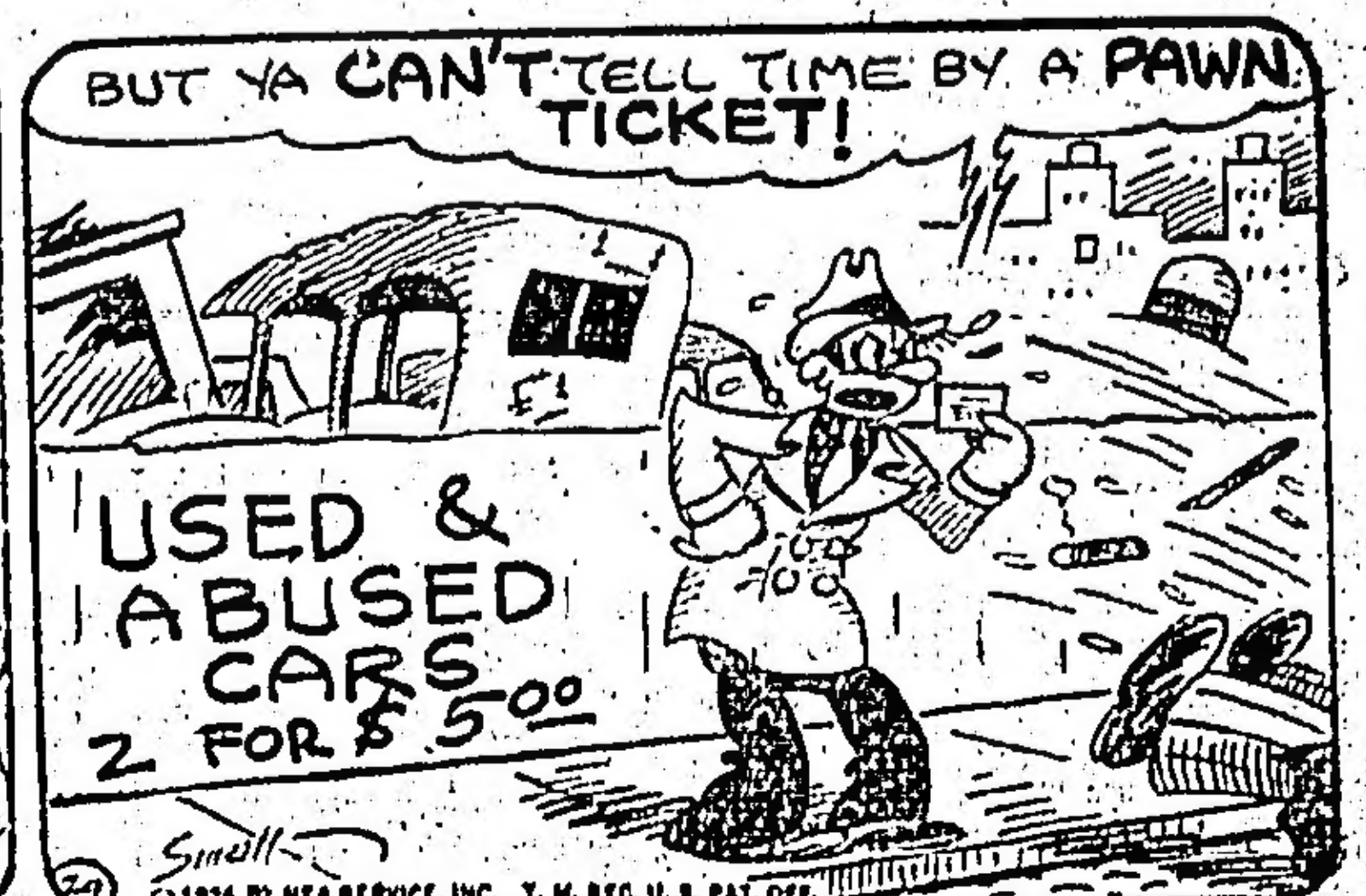
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THE WORLD COPIES THE ENGLISHWOMAN

New Vogue Sets the Britain Exports Clothes • American Fashion Buyers Looms Humming • Worth £1,070,000 • Invade London

PARIS TAKES BACK SEAT

(By GRACE WILSON)

ALL the world is copying the clothes of the Englishwoman. New standards of dress have switched the world fashion centre from Paris to London—and British dress material manufacturers are recording a continued increase in their business.

Last year Britain exported £1,070,000 worth of women's skirts, coats, and dresses—a considerable advance on the year before.

One West Riding manufacturer of worsted costumes cloths has seen his business increase by 300 per cent. in the last year.

Women in all parts of the world are falling in love with the more severe and sensible British styles, as opposed to floral fells, and Paris is being forced to take a back seat.

That was why £77,000 worth of British knitted wear was ordered overseas last year.

America Wants Our Styles

British imported clothes are a luxury in the United States, but this has not stopped the craze among American women to dress "just as the British do."

American retail stores are now sending their buyers to visit London before the Paris displays. They return to America with British models which are copied over and over again.

A representative selection of dresses made by leading British designers has just been taken over to the United States on the Queen Mary by the British fashion group—and New York's most fashionable women have crowded the dress show ever since.

Empire markets are also occupying the attention of the British dressmakers. One famous firm is sending its entire collection to South Africa at the end of our summer season. The South African dress season begins when ours ends.

Trades Benefit

Visitors to London have returned to praise the plain slick suits, casual coats, and close-fitting dresses which British women have made particularly their own.

The textile and ready-made clothing trades have already felt the advantage of this ever-increasing overseas market.

Even in the Middle West of America women are adopting British styles. Comparative figures show that there has been a £40,000 increase in the export of dresses and £20,000 in knitted wear.

Plans are now being made to hold periodical exhibitions in the Empire and foreign countries of typically British styles.

MARY ASTOR'S SHOCK FOR HER EX-HUSBAND

"He was Married When I Married Him"

Los Angeles, Aug. 10. MISS MARY ASTOR, the film star, has applied to the court here to set aside the divorce granted her husband, Mr. D. H. F. Thorpe, last year, and to declare her marriage null and void.

The grounds of her application are that Mr. Thorpe married her without divorcing another woman.

Her affidavit filed in support of these charges, does not name the other woman, whose existence Miss Astor asserts she only recently discovered.

Miss Astor also asks for the sole custody of her four-year-old daughter, Marilyn.

Miss Astor's charges against her husband follow closely on a claim she has filed in court for the possession of her daughter.

In this claim, she charges Mr. Thorpe with having coerced her into permitting him to get the divorce, with custody of the child, by threatening that he would "publicly scandalize her" and ruin her career as an actress.

Miss Astor declared that Marilyn has now reached a "formative age, and needs a mother's constant and continuous companionship, love and attention."

One Under the Eight—& One Over

Paris, Aug. 10. Augustine Fernandez was charged with being drunk and disorderly at Bouffault to-day. He said he was celebrating his birthday.

"Which birthday?" inquired the judge. "You have seven birth certificates, and seem to have been born at various times between 1902 and 1915—at Constantinople, Turin, Blida, Tripoli, Smyrna, Athens and Salonika."

"I take no chances," replied the culprit, "I celebrate them all."

GAS MASKS FOR THE MILLIONS AT HOME



A girl wearing the type of respirator approved for general civilian use in Great Britain. Forty million of these masks are to be made for distribution to the entire civilian population.

Council for Civil Liberties

Simon to be Sent Baton Charge Evidence

ANOTHER attempt is to be made to get the Home Secretary to hold an inquiry into the allegations of brutality made against the police following a baton charge in Thurloe Square, W., on March 22.

The National Council for Civil Liberties has, in Friends House, concluded its investigation into the affair and will now consider its report.

Statements of the various witnesses, the chairman (Prof. Bentwick) said, will be sent to Sir John Simon in the hope that he will belatedly hold an inquiry.

A further invitation to the Commissioner of Police to send witnesses or an observer to the inquiry received only formal acknowledgment.

On the night of the charge a Fascist meeting was being held in the Albert Hall, half a mile away.

Witness recently described to the commission what they saw in Thurloe Square. One said that when the police charged they hit out at everyone they could see.

"MISINFORMED"

Another witness, who said that he was batoned on the head and knocked unconscious, declared that the police made extremely vituperative remarks, and that he saw one mounted policeman chasing a man and shouting, "I'll get you, you—"

Evidence was also given that a foot policeman seized an elderly woman and held her against some railings.

Referring to a statement by the Home Secretary in the Commons that stones and mud were thrown at the police, the chairman asked one witness if he had seen anything of that sort.

"There was nothing there to throw," was the reply, and in further answer to the chairman said he thought the Home Secretary was misinformed.

A man who declared he was not a police witness said he did not stay for the meeting.

He told the Commission that he spoke to a number of people who told him that they had gone there with the intention of entering the Albert Hall and breaking up the meeting.

"As far as I saw anything of the police, they were very courteous and considerate," he said.

Members of the Commission, in addition to the chairman, were: Mr. Harrison Barrow, Professor F. M. Cornford, Miss Eleanor Rathbone, M.P., and Mr. J. B. Priestley.

PUREST IRON WORTH MORE THAN GOLD

British-Made After 5,000 Years

Although man has had the use of iron for 5,000 years, "pure" iron has only just been made—by the National Physical Laboratory at Teddington. It is softer than copper, and as valuable as gold. It is also more highly magnetic than is normal iron.

The Teddington iron is believed to be nearly 99.99 per cent. pure. No fewer than 32 different chemical elements, which might be present as impurities, have been tested for, and between them they account for only 0.113 per cent.

The laboratory's reason for going to all this trouble to make virtually pure iron is to enable an accurate study to be made of the effects of adding very small amounts of other metals to it. The two last and most vital steps in the Teddington formula for making it are as follows:

First, iron, in powdered form, already as pure as it can otherwise be made, is heated in an atmosphere of hydrogen to drive the last traces of oxygen from it. The heating is done in specially-made vessels of pure alumina, and an electric furnace is used.

Finally, when all the oxygen has been removed, the iron is again heated in a vacuum to remove any hydrogen which it has dissolved during the previous process.

Under laboratory conditions, a price of 5s. a gram represents as near an estimate as possible of the cost, in time and trouble, of making pure iron. The present price of gold is about 4s. 10d. a gram.

On the other hand, it is pointed out that if there were ever any serious commercial demand for pure iron, it could be made very much more cheaply. In spite of its extreme initial softness, it can be easily hardened by rolling.

RANCHER-EARL WANTS TO LIVE IN LONDON

Switzerland's "First Seaport"

Basle, Aug. 5. Switzerland's first "seaport" was officially inaugurated here by the arrival from London of the 500-ton freighter Bernina—the first merchant vessel from overseas to enter Swiss waters.

The Bernina is also the first Swiss-owned merchant vessel to sail the sea.

With her sister ship the Alpina, she will maintain a service between Basle and London and Gothenburg, via the Rhine and the North Sea.

Basle, at the terminal for river traffic on the Rhine, has become one of the most important inland harbours of the world.

Plans are before the Swiss Government for the development of a similar port at Geneva.

Clothes To Fit Our Characters

You will be interested to learn that English tailors cut cloth not only according to their patrons' figures but also to their characters.

The authority for the statement is the London correspondent of a Berlin paper.

He is brave, this reporter of fashions.

He dares to say that: Green hats, golf shoes and straw hats are just not worn, that they are beyond the pale, and sported only by cads and dandies, or—in the case of golf shoes—only by "retiles of the last century."

He also insists that there is a distinct falling-off in the wearing of plus fours.

Despite all this, England, he says, still leads the world in men's fashions.

BRIGHTER STREETS The editor of the "Tailor and Cutter" had these comments to make:

"Most men seem to own a green hat and it certainly brightens the streets. Naturally, care must be taken with what suits it is worn. As for the straw hat—well, so much depends on the weather."

"And few people wear golf shoes nowadays."

The point about the green hat rumbles. It's the commonest colour for headgear in Germany, anyway.

Triplet Girls After Triplet Boys

Berlin, Aug. 10. The wife of Dr. Fritz Witten, a medical man in Stroebeck, near Halberstadt, who had already presented her husband with triplets (all boys), has now again had triplets.

This time all three are girls. Exchange.

Such Fun (AND SUCH BEER) In The Old Country

(By A Special Correspondent) Calgary (Alberta), Aug. 15.

The twenty-two-year-old Earl of Egmont chewed a matchstick as he talked to me to-day.

A two-day growth of beard stubbled his chin. He wore a wide-brimmed sombrero.

I had driven out to his ranch to ask him if he intends returning to England—found him loading a truck with timber.

The answer to my question—"Yes"—was supplied by the countess, formerly Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, his cousin.

"I'm going to get Freddie to England next year," she said, "even if I've got to loggie him."

She told me this as her husband disappeared kitchenwards in search of drinks.

Lady Egmont went on: "Freddie wanted to go to England immediately after we married, but I was afraid of the ocean crossing."

"Now I am anxious to be there for the Coronation, and for a visit to our English home."

A BATTLE "He wants to sell up in Canada before we go to England, but I do not want him to do that. So we're having a battle."

At this moment the countess's sister, Miss Moodie, entered with a tray holding bottles of beer and tumblers.

The rancher-earl followed her with another tray.

Lady Egmont confided to me: "Freddie loves beer since he visited England. He drinks it at every meal—even with breakfast."

Lord Egmont interposed: "Yes, but it isn't like the beer in the old country. There's no strength in it."

He proudly displayed the silver tray he had carried in.

"I brought this from the ancestral home," he said. "See, there's a crest on it. It must be a hundred years old."

Lady Egmont said to me: "Ever since Freddie came back from England he has been dissatisfied with Canada."

Her husband said: "Well, you can have fun in the old country."

The countess replied: "OK. We'll go after Christmas, but I won't have you selling up in Canada."

THE NEXT EARL "I want little Freddie, our two-year-old son, to be educated in England," she explained. "He will have to carry on his father's title one day and I want him fitted for it."

"Yes," she said. "We shall come to England next year, but we shall be very secretive about it."

Earl of Egmont succeeded to the title in May 1932. His father had died in Alberta for twenty-eight years before 1929, when he succeeded. The young earl was married in August 1932. Family seat is Aves Castle, in Hampshire.

Heroic History for Aryans

Munich, Aug. 12. History teaching in colleges and universities in South Germany is to be revolutionized "in order to make the student useful to the State."

Bavaria's recently formed Ministry of Culture orders that "instruction be confined to a grand historical outline, and all past events made useful to the present situation of our nation."

"The formation of our 100,000,000 German people both inside and outside the Reich boundaries must be made clear to the student."

"Emphasis must be laid on the Teutonic spirit, race, the Fuehrer-idea, and defence, in order to build up a heroic philosophy."—Reuter.

Miss Sheila MacDonald Turns Tutor

MISS SHEILA MACDONALD, twenty-five-year-old daughter of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, has sailed for St. Vincent, West Indies, to become a tutor.

Miss Isabel MacDonald, licensee of the Plough Inn, Flowers Bottom, near Speen, Bucks, said at her father's Hampstead home:

"Sheila goes as tutor to the two daughters, aged fourteen and sixteen, of Mr. Arthur Alban Wright, Administrator of the Colony, and Mrs. Wright."

"She first met their parents in F.I.L. Mr. Wright was Secretary for Native Affairs there."

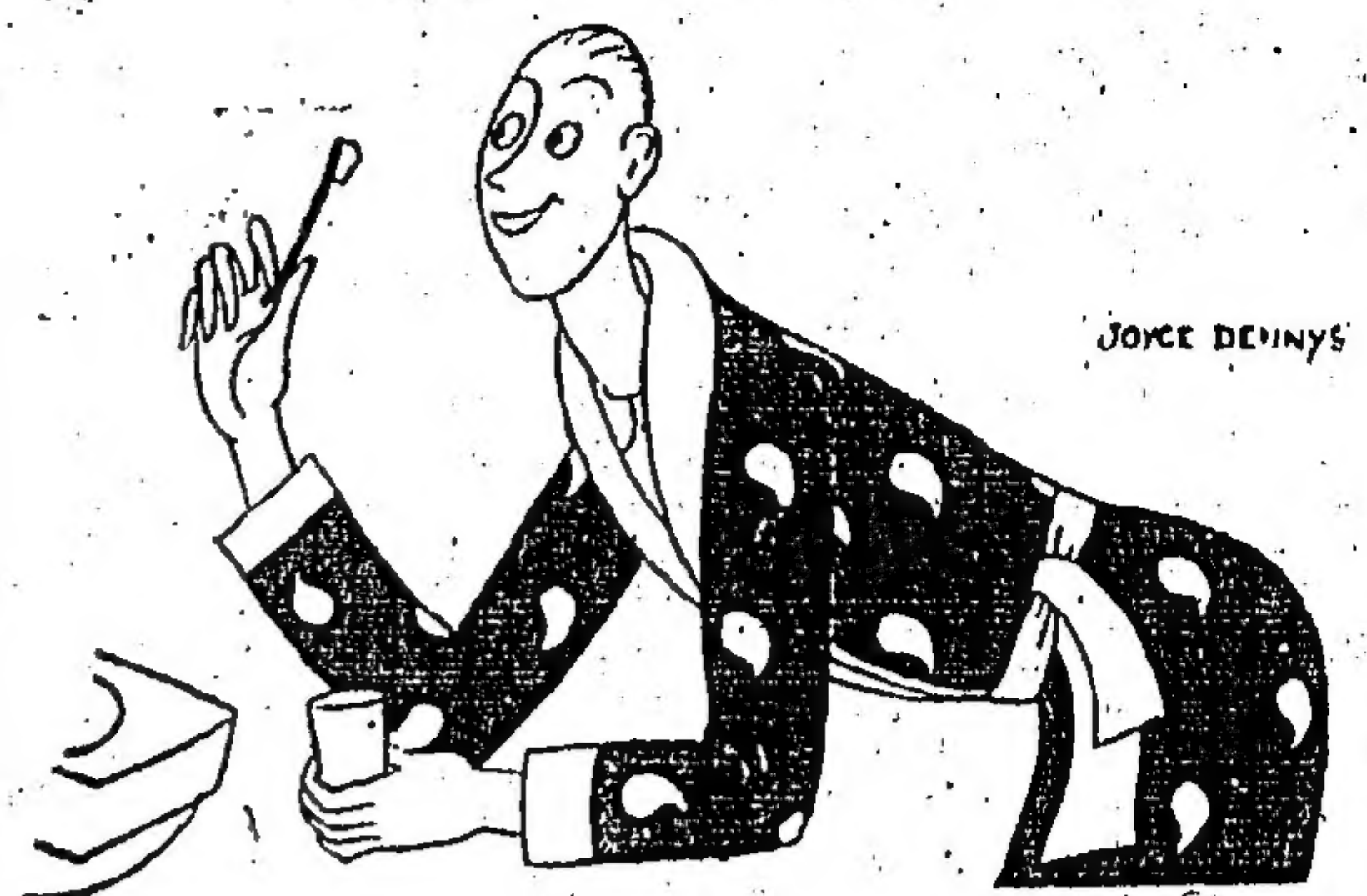
FIXING FRONTIERS OF ABYSSINIA WORK ON KENYA BORDER

Rome, Aug. 17. An Italian column under General Gerosio is reported to have completed a survey and occupation of the southern regions of Abyssinia along the Kenya frontier.

Entering the Galla Sidamo Province, the column was a local government of Dava Parma, and then moved eastwards along the northern edge of the Kenya borderland. Moving inland, the Italians occupied Mega, a town of strategic importance in the Boran, controlling the traffic routes between Kenya and the lake district. South of that, at the frontier station of Moyale, contact was made with the British outpost.

"Having exactly fixed the territorial and traffic demarcation lines between Ethiopia and the British possession," General Gerosio has turned north to enter the Lake Margarita territory and has already reached Javello.

Another Italian column is operating in eastern Abyssinia and is endeavouring to clear up the ranges which flank the Addis Ababa-Jibuti railway.



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21 YEARS AGO Extracts From The "Telegraph" Files

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The rate of the dollar in demand was 1s. 9.7/16d.

Hongkong donations to the Kwangtung Flood Relief Fund totalled \$496,647 to date.

The Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., declared a dividend of nine per cent.

Lady May opened a fund for the raising of money from the women of Hongkong for the purchase of a motor ambulance for service at the Front.

THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH SIXTH ANNUAL

Amateur Photographic Competition

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

SECTIONS:—

SECTION 1
Story-Telling
SECTION 3
Views
SECTION 5
For Children

SECTION 2
Chinese Studies
SECTION 4
Still Life
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"News-happening"

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- The following Rules will govern the Competition.
- The Competition is confined exclusively to amateur photographers.
- Pictures submitted in Septa tones should be accompanied by a smaller print in black and white.
- The Prize will be awarded to the competitors sending in what are adjudged to be the best photographs in each Section. Each entry must be accompanied by a form which will be published daily during the period of the Competition.
- The right to publish any or all of the entries in the Telegraph is reserved.
- Photographs which have been already entered in local competitions are ineligible.
- At the conclusion of the Competition, entries will be returned to competitors on application at this Office within seven days.

- No responsibility will be accepted for non-delivery, loss or damage.
- Photographs must not be less than Post-card size (excepting in the Children's Section) and the entry form should be lightly pasted on the back.
- No correspondence will be entered into in connection with the Competition.
- Entries in the Children's Section must bear the name, age and address on the entry form countersigned by a parent.
- No employee or member of any firm in the photographic trade is permitted to compete.
- Members of the Staffs of the Hongkong Telegraph and the South China Morning Post are not permitted to compete.
- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

Entry Form

SECTION	NAME	ADDRESS
DATE	Please use block letters and paste this on back of each entry. If entered in Children's Section, parent please countersign here	

USE THIS FORM AND LIGHTLY PASTE IT ON THE BACK OF EACH ENTRY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 20. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market:—The market to-day was dull and irregular, with the majority of issues registering declines. Dealings, however, became lighter on the decline, but some support appeared before the close of the session. Business reports continued favourable and there is nothing in the news that would adversely affect the market, which requires some unusual stimulus to shake off the lethargy. Steel, copper, silver and railroad stocks declined. Rubber shares advanced, led by Goodrich issues. The market for bonds was mixed, whilst stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly lower.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks: "The market was irregular, but it maintained a firm tone. The Corn Products Refining Company has advanced the bulk of its prices by 20 cents and packaged goods by 10 cents per hundredweight."

Cotton: It is rumoured that two prominent cotton authorities have reduced their estimates of the crop by 600,000 bales in comparison with the last report issued by these authorities. This is due to the fact that there have been no rains in the South-West.

Wheat: The mill and foreign market are easier. Active ploughing is reported in the South-West, in spite of the dryness. Snow & Company estimate the Canadian wheat crop at 225,000,000 bushels.

Corn: Rains in the East and scattered showers in the West may not help corn materially, but the feed crops should derive some benefit. Cash demand is less urgent and there is more talk of the probability of large Argentine imports. Sentiment is more bearish and sellers are cautious, due to the underlying strength of the cash position.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—"Some brokers are still strongly bullish in railroad stocks. Brokers report that to-day witnessed some European buying here for the first time in the last couple of weeks. Investors are buying preferred issues of steel securities. The July railroad earnings' statements are equipped to stimulate an advance in rails. The entire steel outlook is satisfactory, possibly with the exception of the labour situation."

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages: Aug. 19. Aug. 20.
30 Industrials 166.04 165.59
20 Rails 54.07 53.63
20 Utilities 34.77 34.54
40 Bonds 103.84 103.83
11 Commodity Index 67.60 66.30

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London on Aug. 20. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

Price	Last To-day's Price
War Loan 3½% redm. after 1952	£106½ £106½
Chinese 4½% Bonds 1898	£103¼ £103¼
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds 1925-47	£ 90½ £ 90½
Chinese 4½% Loan 1908	£100 £100
Chinese 5% Loan 1912	£ 80½ £ 81½
Chinese 5% Recorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 92 £ 92
Chinese Imperial Ry. 5%	£ 95 £ 95
Hongkong Ry. 5%	£ 95½ £ 95½
Hukwang Ry. 1011 5%	£ 52½ £ 52½
Lung Tsing U. Ry. 1913 5%	£ 31¾ £ 32
Shanghai Ry. 5%	£ 76 £ 76
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	£ 48 £ 48
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd.)	£ 47½ £ 47½
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	£ 47½ £ 48
Tientsin-Pukow Ry. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	£ 47½ £ 47½
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 80 £ 80½
Japan 6% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 86½ £ 86½
German 7% International Loan 1924	£ 60 £ 59½
Chartered Bank of I. A. & C. (Ldn. Regd.)	£102 £102

Chinese Engineering & Mining (bearer)	10/— 10/—
Chosen Corp.	10/7½ 10/7½
Peking Syndicate	2/9 2/9
Shanghai Construction Co.	45/6 45/6
Shanghai Waterworks "A"	34½ 34½
Union Insurance	33½ 33½
Soc. of Canton Gulf Kumpung	26/3 26/3
Shanghai Electric Co.	25/9 25/9
Associated & Electrical Industries	54/6 54/6
Austin Motors, ord	54/3 54/3
Boots Pure Drug	54/10½ 57/4½
Brit. Amer. Tob. (bearer)	121/10½ 123/1½
Cammell, Laird, ord.	14/9 14/9
Mexican Eagle	26/— 26/—
Courtaulds	49/9 51/6
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	105/6 105/9
Hawker Aircraft	30/— 30/—
Imperial Tobacco	169/1½ 169/9
Imperial Tobacco Marks & Spencer "A", ord.	88/0 88/0
O. B. Guarana	52/3 54/—
Rolls Royce	172/6 172/6
Tate & Lyle	89/0 89/0
Turner & Newall	102/— 102/3
United Steel	35/— 35/4½
Vickers, ord.	33/— 33/—
Woolworths	132/— 133/9
Anglo-Dutch Rubber Plantation	29/10½ 26/10½

Investment Trust	31/— 31/—
Burma Corp.	107/½ 11/—
Commonwealth Mining	8/9 8/9
Manganese Investments	35/9 35/9
Randfontein Estates	77/— 77/—
Spring Mines	40/— 40/—
Sub-Nigel	241/3 242/6
Tanah Gold	1/3 1/3
Mining	88/1½ 88/1½
Anglo-Kanarian	96/3 96/3
Burmah	96/3 96/3
Shell Transport and Trading	

WATER LEVELS

STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:

Place	Highest	Lowest	on record	Aug. 19	Aug. 20
West River at Wuchow	+17.0	-2.5	52.2	—	—
West River at Shihshing	+41.0	0	51.3	—	—
North River at Chingchun	+26.0	0	6.9	7.1	—
North River at Shamsui	+27.8	-6	19.7	18.8	—
East River at Shikong	+15.5	-2.7	11.1	11.2	—

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T.T. Demand	1/211
T.T. Shanghai	102½
T.T. Singapore	52½
T.T. Japan	105¼
T.T. India	81½
T.T. U.S.A.	62½
T.T. Manila	55½
T.T. Batavia	150¼
T.T. Bangkok	46.1/10
T.T. Saigon	4.71
T.T. France	70½
T.T. Germany	19½
T.T. Switzerland	1/6½
T.T. Australia	65½
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EXCHANGE RATES

Place	Aug. 19.	Aug. 20.
Paris	70.29/64	70.27/64
Berlin	15.44	15.42½
Athens	520	520
Milan	503½	503½
Oslo	19.90	19.90
Shanghai	1/2.13/32	1/2.13/32
New York	5.03½	5.03½
Amsterdam	7.41	7.41
Vienna	26½	26½
Prague	121½	121½
Madrid	40	40
Lisbon	110½	110½
Hongkong	1/2.29/32	1/2.29/32
Bombay	1/6½	1/6½
Brussels	29.83	29.82½
Montreal	5.03½	5.03½
Monte Video	38½	38½
Yokohama	1/2.1/64	1/2.1/64
Silver (forward) 1936	17½	19½
Silver (spot)	107½	107½
War Loan	106½	106½

MANILA SHARES

The following quotations have been received by Swan, Culbertson & Fritz from their Manila office after the close of the morning's session:

Share	Buyers	Sellers
Antamok	3.35	3.40
Atoke	58	59
Banguio Gold	35	37
Banguio Consolidated	14.75	15.00
Banguio Exploration	25	27
Big Wedge	39	40
Consolidated Mines	655	660
Demonstration	1.00	1.05
Itozona	1.75	1.80
Masbate	64	65
San Maurice	1.00	1.05
Suyoc	47	48
United Paracale	1.55	1.60

POPE NOT AFFLICTED

Vatican City, Aug. 20. Questioned about reports that Pope Pius is suffering from rheumatism, a spokesman of the Vatican to-day said the suggestion was "ridiculous and false."—United Press.

(bearer) 101/— 105/7½
Chinese 5% Sterling Notes 1925 (Vickers) 23 23½
Canton - Kowloon Rly. 5% 33 33
—Reuter.

TRACK OF LATEST TYPHOON



The Manila Observatory reports at 8.40 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about 129 Long, 20 Lat., moving W.N.W. White dots show the track.

POST OFFICE.

INWARD MAILS

Straits	Toba Maru	August
Japan	Eokuyo Maru	August
Straits	Conte Verde	August
Shanghai and Swntow	Kwangtung	August
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st August).	Pres. Jefferson	August
Japan	Montevideo Maru	August
Shanghai and Amoy	Tainan	August
Straits	Achilles	August
Manila	Pres. Cleveland	August
Calcutta and Straits	Sulzang	August
Straits	Cremor	August
Shanghai	Hector	August

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
Friday.		
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p
Manila, "Straits and "Europe via	Gneisenau	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p
Marselles, and Parcels only for	G.P.O. & K.P.O.	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p
Germany via Hamburg	Reg.	Aug. 21, 3.45
(Due Marselles, 13th September).	Letters,	Aug. 21, 4.30 p
Saturday.		
Shanghai and "Europe via Siberia	Conte Verde	Sat., Aug. 22, 9.30 a
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due	Kulsar-I-Hind	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a
Amsterdam, 31st August.	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a
	Reg.	Aug. 22, 9.30 a
	Letters,	Aug. 22, 10 a
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and "S. Kaiser-I-Hind		Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a
Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe	G. P. O. & K. P. O.	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a
via Marselles.	Parcels,	Aug. 21, 5 p
(Due Marselles, 18th September).	Reg.	Aug. 22, 9.45 a
	Letters,	Aug. 23, 10.30 a
Halong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 22, 2 p
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Aug. 22, 4.30 p
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S.	Montevideo Maru	Sat., Aug. 22, 5 p
Africa.		
Sunday.		
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a
Holhow	Mulinn	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a
Monday.		
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhol and G. G. Paul Doumer		
Halong	Sinking	Mon., Aug. 24, 1 p
Amoy	Amoy	Mon., Aug. 24, 3.30 p
*Subscribed correspondence only.		

SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued this morning.	Santa Rosa, 13½ cts. n.
Banks	Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. K. Banks, \$1,595 b.	H. & S. Hotels, \$5.10 b.
H. K. Banks (Lon. Reg.), \$102	H. K. Lands, \$3½ b.
Chartered Bank, \$15½ n.	H. K. Lands, 4½ Deben.
Mercantile Bank, A. and B., \$31¼ n.	\$105 n.
Mercantile Bank, C., \$14¼ n.	Sh. Lands, Sh. \$13 n.
East Asia Bank, \$74 b.	Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$10 n.
Insurance	Humphries, \$9
Canton Ins., \$265 n.	H. K. Realities, \$4.25 b.
Union Ins., \$550 b.	Chinese Estates, \$80 n.
China Underwriters, \$1.00 n.	China Realities, Sh. \$4 n.
China Fire, \$462 n.	China Debuties, Sh. \$50 n.
H. K. Fire, Inc., \$240 b.	Public Utilities
Internat'l Assce., Sh. \$¾ n.	H. K. Tramways, \$12.10 b.
Shipping	Peak Trans. (old), \$6½ b.
Douglas, \$30 n.	Peak Trans. (new), \$2¼ n.
H. K. Steamboats, \$4 n.	Star Ferries, \$87 b.
Indo-Chinas (Pref.), \$30 n.	Yamut Ferries, (old), \$20¼ b.
Indo-Chinas (Def.), \$20 n.	China Light, \$12 b.
Shell (Bearer), 105/7½ n.	China Light, (new), \$8.70 b.
Union Waterboats, \$12 n.	H. K. Electric, \$53½ b.
Docks etc.	Macao Electric, \$20 n.
H. K. Wharves (old), \$99½ b.	Sandakan Lights, \$8.30 n.
H. K. & W. Docks, \$14 n.	Telephone (old), \$27¼ b.
Providents (old), \$1.60 b.	Telephone (new), \$9 n.
Providents (new), 20 cts. n.	China Buses, Sh. \$1¼ n.
Hongkew (old), Sh. \$185 n.	Singapore Traction, \$2/- n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 n.	Singapore Pref. \$28/- n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$81½ n.	Industrials
Mining	Malbon Sugars, \$9½ n.
Kailan, 10/- n.	Cald. Macg. (old), Sh. \$19½ n.
Langkai (Single), \$5 n.	Cald. Macg. (Pref.), Sh. \$15 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$3 n.	Cement, \$9.70 b.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$3 n.	H. K. Ropes, \$3¼ b.
Rubis, \$11.60 b.	Stores, etc.
Venz: Goldfield \$4¼ b.	Dairy Farm, \$21¼ b.
Antamoka, \$5.28 b.	Watson, \$3.60 b.

15 ARABS KILLED IN FIGHT

BRITISH MILITARY
POST ATTACKED

NO CASUALTIES
SUFFERED.

Jerusalem, Aug. 20.

Fifteen Arabs are believed to have been killed in an affray which lasted all day between an armed Arab gang and military detachments near Hadera, in Central Palestine.

The conflict started with an attack on a military patrol, whereupon reinforcements, including aircraft, were sent to the scene of the fighting. The troops suffered no casualties.

A Jewish taxi-driver was shot and killed from an orange grove near Hadera, a Jewish Reserve Battalion Service.

UNEMPLOYED
AGED RANGE

WHAT LATEST
RETURNS SHOW

London, Aug. 20.

A half-yearly analysis of the age distribution of unemployed men and women, made by the Labour Ministry, shows that while there was a reduction between May, 1935, and last May in the numbers unemployed in nearly every age group, the reduction was greater proportionally among persons under 35 years. Men under 35 were 44.9 per cent. of all unemployed men in May, 1935, but this May the percentage had fallen to 41.6.—British Wireless.

U.S. VETERAN PASSES

San Antonio, Aug. 20.

Col. Millard F. Waltz, 79, Chief of Staff of the expedition to Cuba and who served in the Philippines campaign, died to-day.—United Press.

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

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regarding the spreading up of terrorist action against Stalin. Replying to the Attorney-General, Kamenoff confirmed his leading role in the organization of the assassination of M. Kirov in Petrograd. The attempt to kill Stalin was to be made last May Day, during the demonstration in the Red Square.

STUDENTS INVOLVED

According to the testimony of Gidberg, another of the accused, simultaneous attempts were to be made on the lives of other Soviet leaders in Leningrad (Petrograd) and Kiev. He had prepared a bomb and had arranged with student supporters of Trotsky to throw it when they were marching past Stalin in Red Square. A last-minute arrest prevented the plot being carried out.

The Attorney-General produced what he described as a Trotsky document, containing the words, "Stalin must be destroyed."

The prosecution is making determined efforts to prove there is a link between Nazi Germany and the alleged Trotsky-Zinovieff plot.—Reuter.

SEALED OWN FATE

Moscow, Aug. 21.

It is believed that Zinovieff and Kamenoff have sealed their fate by boasting of the plot to assassinate Stalin and convert Russia, through terrorism, into a "Trotsky-Fascist" regime.

Zinovieff admitted giving orders to kill Stalin. Rengold said a man named I. P. Bakaev was to kill Stalin's murderer, Bogden, after the Dictator was slain. However, Bogden committed suicide due to his unwillingness to participate in the plot.

The prosecutor asked if Kamenoff had participated in the 1934 assassination of Sergei Kirov, for which 115 men and two women were executed and more than 100 imprisoned. Kamenoff said he had discussed Kirov's assassination with the Trotsky bloc in 1932, and in addition implicated Alex Rykov, Commissar of Posts and Telegraphs. He said he had believed Karl Radek, editor of Izvestia, would be sympathetic.

Zinovieff denied his and Trotsky's bloc ever split. Both were antagonistic to the Communist party. Meanwhile, it is stated that thirteen additional persons, including a woman, Safonova Pavlovich, are held for separate examination and probably will be tried on assassination plot charges.—United Press.

"DEVILISH" TRAFFIC IN HEROIN

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"I came from Shek Lung and worked as an amah for them. After Sun Chiu-ki, a photographer of the Pin Pin Studio, had deposed to have taken photographs of the room, Mr. Taylor and Revenue Officer Grimmitt testified to having raided the premises and found the articles which formed the subject of the charge.

PRISONERS' STATEMENTS

Making a statement from the dock, the first prisoner said he was only an employee, but if the Court found him guilty, he hoped His Lordship would deal with him leniently. The second accused said he went to the premises to visit a friend.

The third prisoner remarked that she was a native of Shek Lung and was employed on the premises as an amah for three dollars a month. Being a country-woman, she was rather curious of the pills and went inside the room to see them. Before she could warm up the seat, she was arrested. (Laughter).

In the course of his summing-up, His Lordship said the case for the Crown had not been contradicted by the accused, (referring to the statement of the third prisoner, His Lordship said she had pleaded guilty with a deplorable candour of her sex's chief frailty—curiosity.

Without retiring, the jury found all the accused guilty, and His Lordship passed sentences as stated.

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Chicago, Aug. 15.

HOW many hairs on a person's head? A Chicago specialist—who says he has studied 15,000 adult heads of hair—submits the following answers:

If you are a blonde, 140,000 to 150,000.

If you are a brunette, 100,000 to 110,000.

And if you are red-haired, from 40,000 to 55,000.—United Press.

A dinner dance will be held on the open roof of Repulse Bay Hotel weather permitting, and at Repulse Bay Hotel in the event of bad weather, on Saturday, August 22, at 9 p.m., and the usual tea dance will be held on Sunday, at 5 p.m., at Repulse Bay Hotel.

MOTOR ACCIDENT NOT REPORTED

OFFICER FINED ON
TWO COUNTS

Lieut. Kettle, driver of private car No. 1744, was summoned before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning for (a) failing to report an accident to the nearest Police Station on July 19 and (b) failing to carry lamps showing a white light at the front at 8 p.m. on the same day at Tai Po Road.

Defendant admitted the summonses. Traffic Sergeant McElroy stated that Lieut. Kettle was driving his car on the Tai Po Road from Tai Po on July 19 when near the Kowloon Reservoir he struck a Chinese man, causing slight injuries to him. The man was unknown and could not be traced. Three days after the accident, defendant made a report at Mongkok Police Station. Regarding the second summons, there were no lights at all.

Asked by the Magistrate why he had delayed reporting the accident, defendant said he was going back to Kowloon that evening and at the time his speed was about four miles per hour. He could not see very well and the man came out by a corner. Defendant put on his brakes but bumped into the Chinese. He got out of the car and asked the man if he was badly hurt, but the man only sat by the roadside rubbing his legs. Defendant lifted the man into his car, but he seemed to be all right and went on his way.

Defendant did not think anything more of the incident until a few days later, when he mentioned to a friend of his residing in the Colony that he had had a slight accident. The friend immediately advised him to report, and he did so. Defendant's lights were on at 7.30 p.m. and they all went out a little later. He found afterwards that the side and tail lights had been hurt, but the head-lights had short circuited. The only way he could get back to Kowloon was to proceed slowly, sounding his horn to warn people of his approach. When the lights went out, he was still about 10 miles from Kowloon, but it was not very dark yet.

Acting Traffic Sub-Inspector A. R. Brittain said that defendant had taken out a driving licence only two days before the accident. He added that sunset on July 19 was 7.10 p.m. The Magistrate said it was for defendant to report the accident straight away. Complications might set in. He realised that the summonses would never have been taken out if defendant had not made a report, but he had to take a serious view of the offence.

Defendant was fined a total of \$20 on the two summonses.

OTHER CASES

Harry Turner, of the Hume Pipe Company, was summoned for driving private car No. 559 through the controlled area at Tsun Wan at a speed of 30 miles per hour on July 25. He pleaded guilty.

Acting Traffic Sub-Inspector Brittain said that, at the time, 5.20 p.m., there were not many people on the road. The offence was committed just by the end of the controlled area near the Shing Mun Road. Defendant had been driving in the Colony for nearly a year.

His Worship fined defendant \$10. A fine of \$7 was imposed on A. S. Banker, who admitted a summons of having driven a push bicycle without having full control at Castle Peak Road on July 24. A. S. I. Brittain said that defendant was hanging on to the side of lorry No. 242.

QUEEN'S ROAD INCIDENT

G. Hill, driver of private car No. 2502, was summoned before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, for having driven his car with undue care and caution along Queen's Road East on August 9. Defendant admitted the summons.

Traffic Sergeant Bethel said that on August 9, defendant was driving along Queen's Road from west to east, and when near the Naval Dock Yard saw another car coming from the opposite direction with lights dimmed. The road was slightly wet, and defendant stated that he might have been dazzled by the other car's light on the road. About 50 yards from the Naval Yard, the Hongkong Telephone Co. were repairing wires, and the road was up, leaving room, such for cars to pass. There was a notice board requesting motorists to drive carefully, but defendant apparently did not see this sign, as he knocked the board down, at the same time causing injuries to two coolies of the Company, who received treatment in hospital for two or three days. The defendant had compensated the coolies and also paid cost of damages to the Telephone Company.

Defendant was fined \$30.

Son Who Murdered
Mother Benefits
Under Her Will

BY the will of Mrs. Lavinia B. Ball, of St. Helen's-road, Bootertown, Co. Dublin, who died on or about February 17, 1936, leaving personal estate in the Irish Free State of £1,030 15s. 7d., her share of her father's estate and the residue of her own estate goes on trust to her sons, John C. Preston Ball, of Marine Park, West Kirby, Cheshire, and Edward Francis Alan Ball, upon their attaining 25 years of age.

Edward was recently found guilty of his mother's murder, but insane. He is twenty.

The insanity finding prevents him from being debarred from benefit. Mr. John R. Morris, Far Eastern manager for the United Press Association, arrived in Canton yesterday by plane from Shanghai. After a few days there he will come to Hongkong.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS

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not to refer economic questions to Nanking.

Smuggling Curable

Mr. Kawagoe admitted the smuggling in North China, but added that it was curable through the revision of "improper" tariffs.

Meanwhile, from Kuling, where the Executive Yuan is meeting, word of exemption from the new Chinese income tax by foreign diplomatic officials and foreign nationals of less than one year's residence, whose income does not originate in China, has been received. However, these exemptions apply only to diplomats and nationals of countries extending the same treatment to Chinese abroad.

The Executive Yuan also voted to collect income tax on salaries and other remunerations of public functionaries and on the interest derived from various Government bonds and savings deposits, effective October 1. Other collections start January 1, 1937.—United Press.

GOVERNOR IS INDISPOSED

It will be learned with regret that His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, is suffering from shingles on the right temple.

His Excellency is well enough to keep official and public engagements, but, owing to facial disfigurement and discomfort, he has been advised to cancel all large social functions until further notice.

The following forthcoming weddings are announced: Mr. Percival Leonard Standley, Salvation Army Officer, c/o The Salvation Army, 2 Embankment Road, Kowloon, and Miss Margaret Mabel Thompson, of the same address; Mr. Arthur Valentine Wong, clerk, residing at 40 Morrison Hill Road, and Miss Marjorie Quann Lock Lee, of 72 Shantung Street, Mongkok.

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London, Aug. 20.

An important stage in the revival of the British flax industry was marked to-day by the starting up of electrically-driven machinery of the latest design in the de-seeding section of new flax mills at Billing, in Northamptonshire.

The mills, which will be in full operation by September 7, are part of a new industrial venture associated with a carefully-planned agricultural experiment in the same county. Six hundred acres have been sown with pedigree seed, and, despite adverse weather, a crop of exceptionally good quality has been harvested.—British Wireless.

MOTOR WIND
SCREENS

MUST BE SAFETY
GLASS

London, Aug. 20.

In January next, regulations issued by the Ministry of Transport will make compulsory the use of safety glass wind screens on motor vehicles.

All vehicles manufactured after 1931 are fitted with windcreens, of the safety type, but it is estimated that some 600,000 private and about 200,000 commercial vehicles at present on the road have ordinary glass screens and that probably 500,000 of these will be continued on the road by their owners, who will have to have new windcreens fitted before the end of the year.—British Wireless.

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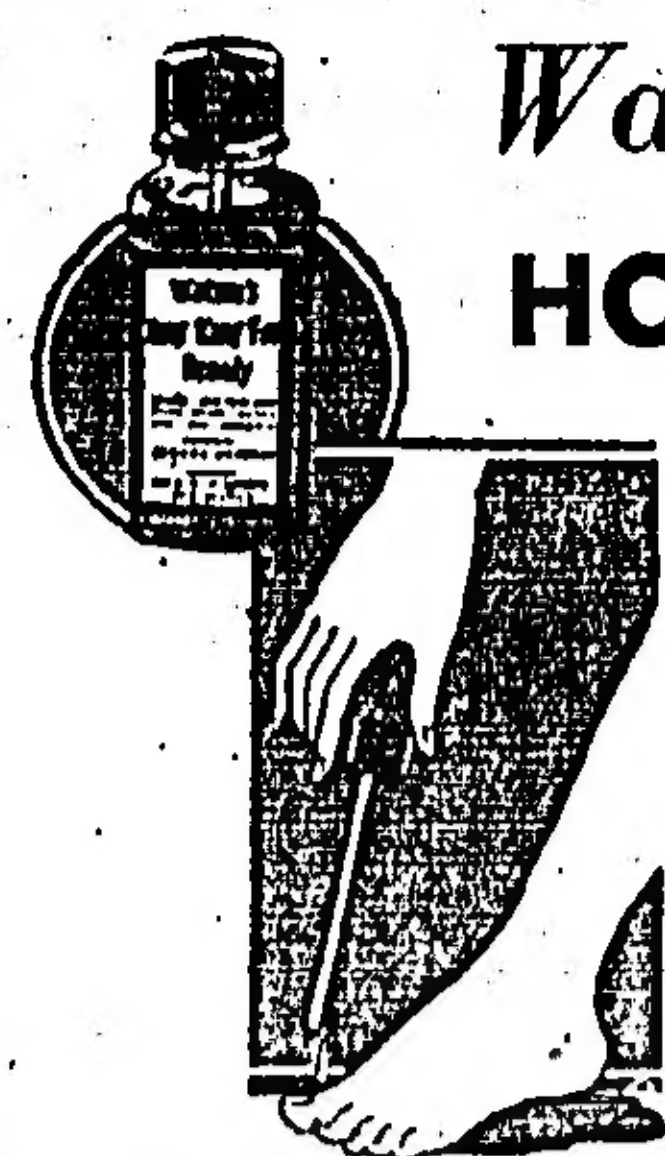
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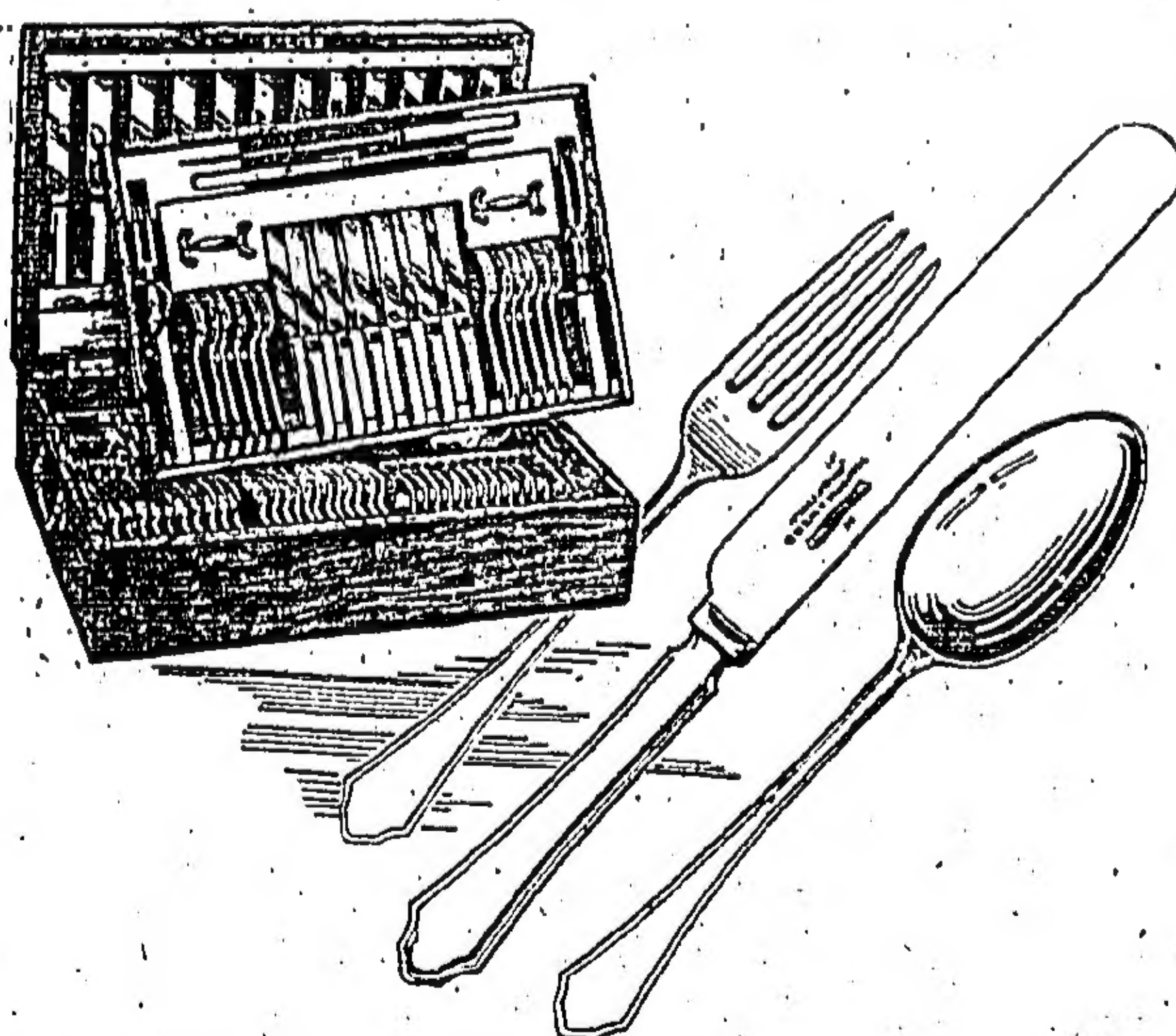
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WORLD WAR FEARS AND HOPES

Will there be another world war? Despite the almost universal desire to the contrary, there undoubtedly exists a widespread fear that war will somehow break out sooner or later in Europe. Happily, however, there are factors which suggest that such a catastrophe will be avoided. Signor Mussolini, who is fully conscious of the realities of the situation, has just hazarded the view that a European upheaval would pave the way to Communism when the nations involved became exhausted. That possibility will doubtless be a restraining element tending to make ambitious statesmen or militarists hesitate before committing any act which would precipitate a world upheaval. It is of interest to note that much the same note as that struck by Mussolini was recently sounded by Dr. Benes, the President of Czechoslovakia, when he asserted that he had a strange feeling that war would not break out. The reason he gave was that any nation which unleashed a European war would never attain its ends, for such a conflict would lead first to general chaos and would only be the introduction to another and more disastrous war, without issue or end. Such a grave responsibility, Dr. Benes thinks, no statesman could overlook; hence his belief that peace will be saved and some agreement reached in concert between the Powers interested in the preservation of European concord and civilisation. This view, coming from a man of the calibre of Dr. Benes, is worthy of notice. Dr. Benes has been Minister of Foreign Affairs for nearly twenty years; he has been described as being as efficient as a dynamo, as one who has no cant, but talks facts; who sees Europe as a whole, and whose dearest ambition is to organise an effective United States of Europe. A statesman of his authority and foresight does not choose his words lightly; his opinion should carry much weight. If all the leaders in Europe were of his frame of mind, there would never be any fear of another world upheaval. Trouble, should it come, might emanate from "statesmen" who are not statesmen, who may blunder into catastrophe because they have not the first quality of true statesmanship, foresight, or who are so eaten up with ambition that their first thought

is their own glory. Yet, when stock is taken of all the factors, there is much ground for thinking that the worst will not happen. Humanity in general will certainly agree with Mr. Baldwin, who, when addressing the Canadian pilgrims in London recently, declared: "If Europe and the world can find no other way of settling disputes than the way of war—even now, when we are still finding and burying the bodies of those who fell twenty years ago—the world deserves to perish."

Two agreements were reached last month which appear to be based respectively on two fundamentally opposed principles. In the first place there was the agreement between Germany, Austria and Italy. On the surface this agreement should do much for the appeasement of Europe as it means the ending of a feud between two Great Powers. But the fact that it has not been hailed with a sigh of relief is to be traced to the fact that the two Great Powers concerned had both, acting independently, successfully defied the forces of Law and Order. Consequently Europe is asking anxiously whether the new agreement presages a still more successful, because more powerful, defiance of the principles of Law and Order.

The other agreement is a triumph for the forces of Law and Order, and of peaceful change by international agreement. For this reason the agreement in regard to the Dardanelles has been hailed with a sigh of relief. It is not so much the contents of the agreement that have contributed to the general satisfaction as the fact that the agreement has not been the outcome of resort to force or the tearing up of treaties but of reliance on the goodwill of nations to effect a peaceful change in the existing World Order.

The nations have got to make up their mind which of these two principles shall dominate the policy of Europe. If they concede anything to the successful aggressor and condone every breach of a treaty, then anarchy, followed logically by war, is the prospect before us. If on the other hand, they stand firm for the principle of the sacredness of international obligations—in other words if they stand firm by the principles of the League—then there is still hope that the dreaded "next war" may be averted.

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NOTES OF THE DAY

The longer the struggle lasts the more difficult it will be for people in democratic countries to maintain that attitude of detachment which is now maintained by those in control of British foreign policy.

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WHAT THE SPANISH WAR MEANS

"... this conflict involves you, me, and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation ..."

By

Vernon Bartlett

LEON TROTSKY once said that the next country to go Communist would be Spain. It is obvious that before their respective revolutions Russia more nearly resembled that country than any other in Europe.

They both had a peasantry that was miserably illiterate and poor; a Christianity that was often rather a superstition than a religion, and enormous estates that were run for the benefit of absentee landlords to the detriment of the men who worked on them.

But one had not expected events to go so far or so quickly to prove Trotsky right.

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It is inconceivable that we should be so decidedly taking sides unless we realised that this is no ordinary rebellion.

We know that the Spain which will emerge from the smoke of battle will be a very different country from the Spain of yesterday. In its transformation it may arouse among Britons a controversy as bitter as that which used to wage round the mention of Russia.

It may incline many good English Liberals towards Communism and a few towards Fascism.

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How can the Five-Power conference to bring security to Western Europe go forward according to plan if democracy and dictatorship, or even dic-

Should the rebels win, there will be a period of brutal reaction far exceeding the expectations of those nice British Conservatives who have met and liked Spanish monarchists and who know nothing of the misery of those immense devastated agricultural areas for which they are so gravely responsible.

British Conservatives would have as little in common with a victorious reaction in Madrid as British Liberals would have with a victorious Communist government.

If, as is greatly to be feared, this struggle drags on, Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini will inevitably be drawn more and more to support the rebels, and M. Leon Blum to support the government. This must happen however scrupulous they may be at present, in withholding help.

Germany would be genuinely frightened of Communism at each extremity of Europe. France would be even more frightened of a Fascist dictatorship beyond her Western as well as her Eastern frontier.

Fear is so much the father of folly that one cannot expect these two countries for long to refrain from interference, open or secret.

And, indeed, why should they? Spain is the unfortunate battlefield of two doctrines which are apparently so incompatible that people who hold them scoff at the idea of lasting peace until the rival has been wiped off the face of the earth.

There are still many of us who hold that peace is the most important of all human requirements, since war of any kind encourages the suppression of liberty, tolerance and those other qualities of civilisation. And that, in consequence, it is an imperative duty to swallow a good deal of our pride, to be patient about a good many affronts, to accept even temporary injustices in order to reach some arrangements that may be binding with nations whose governments we despise and distrust, arrangements which are so obviously fair and just that the wickedest government would hesitate to incur universal hostility by breaking them.

And, if we are right in this belief, are we to allow this dispute to drag on, to impoverish Spain for generations, and to accentuate the divergencies between the political conceptions of people hundreds of miles away from the Spanish frontier until talk of peace conferences and international reconciliation becomes a mockery of the hopes of mankind?

It is of no use to pretend that this conflict is merely a domestic one. It is a conflict which involves you, me and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation.

But it might build a bridge between them. There is something to be said for strict neutrality. There is more to be said for intervention on the side of a legally-constituted government against the threat of a military tyranny of the worst possible type.

There is still more to be said for an attempt to get the five Powers who are supposed to collaborate in pacifying Western Europe to make a joint appeal for a truce in Spain before the bitterness and misery of her people poison the atmosphere of Europe in which a civilised man already finds it so difficult to breathe.

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"She's always telling people that we went to school together, but she never mentions that she was the teacher."

"MY IDEAL MARRIAGE —MY OWN"

Marlene Dietrich

Star Besieged By Frantic Crowds

(By A Special Correspondent)

Paris, Aug. 10.
AFTER being mobbed by one of the largest and most frenzied crowds that have ever welcomed a film star to Paris, Miss Marlene Dietrich, the blonde idol of millions of screen fans, told me to-night of her plans for her London visit and for the education there of her daughter Maria, aged 11.

We sat in her suite in a small, extremely quiet hotel away from the fashionable thoroughfares of Paris, and as we talked Maria, a tall, fair-haired, vivacious girl entered and shyly shook hands.

"I shall go to England, probably next week—it depends on when I can see Mr. Korda to arrange about my film," Miss Dietrich told me. "We hope that Maria will be able to start her English schooling, near London, after the summer holidays in September."

"I expect to stay in England throughout September to make my film with Robert Donat, based on James Hilton's book 'Without Armour', then perhaps I shall stay a short while on the French Riviera, and afterwards go back to make three films for Paramount, one produced by Ernest Lubitsch, and the other with Frank Lloyd."

MY MARRIAGE

"Everyone asks me if I am really happy in my married life," she went on (Miss Dietrich's husband is Herr Rudolph Sieber). "Of course I am. These 12 years since my marriage have been ideal—but, of course, we must not claim to be the happiest married couple. Married couples can never be happy if they are continually parted. I see no reason why I shall not work again with von Sternberg," said Miss Dietrich, referring to her supposed professional separation from the man who directed many of her Hollywood pictures. "There is no separation really."

"I must have rest now," she said. A slight huskiness enhanced the charm of her smooth, perfectly controlled voice, which has thrilled filmgoers all round the world.

HEMMED IN BY CROWD

At the Gare St. Lazare, the terminus where Miss Dietrich arrived from Le Havre en route from Hollywood, astonishing scenes marked the entrance of the boat train.

A struggling crowd rushed along the platform and surrounded Miss Dietrich as she stepped from the coach. At one period her husband and a friend had to prevent her from being crushed by the crowd.

It took her a full 20 minutes to struggle along the few feet of platform towards a pre-arranged exit through the station yard.

As her car drove scores of frantic women claved at the windows and jumped on to the running-board, eager to see the famous star.

WOLFRAM PRICE ADVANCES

AMALGAMATION IN SOUTH CHINA?

London, Aug. 20.
The price of wolfram advanced two shillings to a nominal price of twenty-seven shillings and twenty-eight shillings on news that negotiations are at present progressing for an amalgamation of South China's two wolfram syndicates.

Pending the outcome of the discussions, both holders and consumers are reluctant to transact business.—*Reuter*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

THE GREAT MASS OF THE WORKERS WANT NOTHING BUT BREAD AND GAMES. THEY HAVE NO UNDERSTANDING OF ANY SORT OF IDEAL.—*Hilfer*.

A 43-year-old coolie, Fung Pin, was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital after he had been knocked down by lorry No. 4432 in the Queen Mary Hospital district, Pokfulam, yesterday.

Pleaded guilty to a charge of having taken \$5 from a fruit-stall in the Central Market, Chan Chi, 24, unemployed, was sentenced to two months' hard labour by Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning.

Choi Tin, 25, unemployed, was charged before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning with having carnal knowledge of a girl named Leung Hui, aged seven, on August 15, at No. 3 Lyndhurst Terrace. As it was to be a case for committal, Sub-Inspector Flattery asked for a remand. The case will be heard on August 27 at 2.30 p.m.

Fung Yu-sin, 10, unemployed, appeared before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with the theft of a St. John Ambulance uniform, a pair of boots and one belt, the property of Chau Po, 25, godown keeper, of No. 111 Lockhart Road. Det.-Sgt. Downman said in June the defendant had on one occasion asked the complainant to lend him the uniform and the other articles but defendant had refused, and the theft might have been committed out of spite. Mr. Schofield said that he would bind defendant over, and remanded him for 24 hours to find two sureties.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR U.S. POST

MR. HSU MO MAY BE AMBASSADOR

Shanghai, Aug. 21.
With the Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Alfred Sze, due to return to China in the autumn on long furlough, probably leading to his retirement, it is learned that Mr. Hsu Mo is a likely candidate for the Washington post as well as Dr. C. T. Wang.

Mr. Hsu is at present Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs. He received his M.A. at George Washington University in 1912 was formerly an attaché of the Chinese Legation in Washington and was Secretary of the Chinese Delegation to the Washington Disarmament Conference.

Meanwhile, the Soviet has approved the selection of Dr. Chiang Ting-fu to succeed Mr. W. W. Yen at Moscow and this appointment will be gazetted shortly.—*United Press*.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

Pai Kwai, 35, was injured at his house, 14 First Street, when he fell down the stairs. On his admission to the Government Civil Hospital, his condition was reported serious.

Capt. A. P. Trimble, M.B., R.A.M.C., who was serving on the China Command until his departure home last year, has been promoted Divisional Adjutant, R.A.M.C., 8th South Midland Division.

A widow, Sir Yee, was bitten yesterday by a dog belonging to Dr. E. M. Gordon, No. 1 Cameron Buildings. She was taken to the Government Civil Hospital, and the dog to Ma Tau Kok for observation.

Lai Hoi, aged 45, unemployed, pleaded guilty to a charge of trespassing on the police revolver range at King's Park yesterday, when he appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Magistracy this morning. Inspector R. Shannon said defendant went about the range picking up lead, and was doing a lot of damage there. Defendant was fined \$9, or ten days' imprisonment.

Tse Wu-wui, 17, unemployed, appeared on remand before Mr. S. F. Balfour at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged with the theft of a jacket containing \$6.10 in Hongkong money and \$2.65 in Canton money, also a pair of spectacles and a rolled gold chain from Ng Yau-kuan, on board the S.S. Sai On, at the Tung On wharf on Tuesday. Defendant admitted stealing the articles, and led the detective to the complainant who was still unaware of his loss. He was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour.

MOVIE DEB



Kay Stewart, young socialite granddaughter of James Stewart, oil magnate, is the latest deb to join the movie. She will have a role in Alex Beach's 'The Harrier', when it is filmed.

"CONFIDENCE TRICKS" IN OSTEOPATHY

Surgeon's Attack On "Stunt" DRINK AND THE CAR DRIVER

Osteopaths will be up in arms at the stinging criticism of their calling by Mr. A. S. Blundell Bankart, the orthopaedic surgeon of Middlesex Hospital.

Here are some of the things he said at the British Medical Association conference at Oxford. "Osteopathy is an American stunt based on the unsupported assertion that practically all diseases are due to imaginary displacements of the spine."

"It has been investigated up to the hilt, and it has been found wanting. 'It is up to all orthopaedic surgeons to see that these confidence tricks are exposed, and to ensure that the proper use of manipulation in surgery is taught and practised in all our teaching hospitals.'

"SHIFTED HIS GROUND"
"Do not let anyone deceive you by explaining that the modern osteopath is a more enlightened fellow who has become, in fact, a manipulative surgeon. This is not true," said Mr. Bankart.

"It is true that the osteopath has shifted his ground again and again as one after another of his claims has been shown to be absolutely devoid of any scientific foundation. 'In treatment, too, the osteopath has shifted or extended his feet in that he may employ local treatment in addition to, but not as a substitute for, the spinal adjustments which are the essential basis of osteopathic treatment.'

"I need hardly remind you of the monopoly of manipulative surgery for osteopaths in this country. 'Osteopathy has nothing whatever to do with manipulative surgery.'

Mr. Bankart said that there was little to choose between osteopathy and chiropractic. Its rival venture proved even more successful than its prototype, judging from the fact that there were far more chiropractors than osteopaths in the United States and Canada.

"How many of you who are attached to large hospitals have any organised arrangements for dealing with the large number of cases which require manipulative or ordinary osteopathic practice?" Mr. Bankart asked.

FLAT FEET THEORY
People did not suffer from flat feet, but more from inability to flatten their feet. "The great majority of civilised people have acquired some restriction of the natural mobility of their feet so that they cannot flatten them without meeting with the resistance of the soft parts. When the flattening foot meets with this resistance it is strained, and the condition is painful."

Dr. W. J. Turrell (Oxford), discussing electro-therapy, said: "Under existing conditions electrical treatment is prescribed by medical practitioners who have no knowledge of the remedy that they are prescribing, and the treatment is administered by those who have no knowledge of the nature of the disease which they are treating."

Professor Sir Joseph Barcroft, at a temperance breakfast at which delegates were guests, said that all thinking people would agree that alcohol, even in moderate quantities, had a definitely adverse effect on drivers. This was the conclusion reached by the B.M.A. committee appointed to study the subject.

One member of the committee, he said, took the view that alcohol might be regarded as beneficial to the tired man, and a great many doctors agreed. "But the fact is, quite frankly, that we do not know," Sir Joseph said. "The amount of research that is being done has only been done in relation to the average person and not to the tired man. It would seem to me to go into this matter more thoroughly."

McMAHON AS A "SOCIAL REFORMER"

AGED FATHER IN TEARS

JEROME BANNIGAN, alias Gorge Andrew McMahon, is an Irishman whose home is in Glasgow. He is thirty-two years old. His father, with whom he has not communicated for ten years, is eighty years old, fast going blind. His brother, a priest of the Roman Catholic Church, is now in Dublin.

A friend of Bannigan said: "Bannigan, whom I knew as McMahon, was associated with Mrs. Violet Van der Elst in her campaign against capital punishment."

"He claims to have helped her to write a book. He assisted her in a general election campaign. 'He was married, I believe, in Scotland. He calls himself a social reformer.'

Last April McMahon claimed £67 10s. from Mrs. Van der Elst at Marylebone County Court. He alleged that she instructed him to hire cars during her general election campaign at Putney. The claim was dismissed with costs.

Father's Grief

In February McMahon gave evidence in the King's Division in a case in which Mrs. Van der Elst was concerned.

He stated then that he helped Mrs. Van der Elst to write a book against capital punishment. A Glasgow reporter wrote: Bannigan's father heard the news with bowed head and tear-filled eyes. He buried his face in his hands."

"It is too terrible," he said. "My son's drinking bouts may have turned his head. He requires medical examination."

"His brother Patrick, a priest, did all he could for Jerome. Gradually he drifted from home, and we lost sight of him entirely. 'I only pray, to God that the court authorities have him medically examined before dealing with him.'

"Help me," he whispered, "to keep this from his mother. She is only now able to get about after thirteen weeks in bed. The shock might kill her."

The Bannigan family are natives of Cookstown, Tyrone.

A Way They Have in Auchtermuchty

From A Special Correspondent

AUCHTERMUCHTY for the Auchtermuchteans, a tariff wall round the town and no more dumping on "early-closing" day from the foreigners at Strathgilly, Pittoull, Collesie and the like—such are to be the slogans on that Royal and ancient burgh in the north-west of Fife.

The Auchtermuchty Town Council is seeking to revive a 400-year-old local law to give protection to its 1,200 inhabitants.

"The cause of the trouble is Tuesday afternoons," explained the Dean of the Guild, Councillor William Dick, to the "Evening News" on Tuesday. "Afternoons here are early-closing days, and directly the local shops shut, cars drive in from the towns round about, selling things to the people of Auchtermuchty."

"That's a grave loss to the shopkeepers of Auchtermuchty, and now it's getting worse. The cars come in from the other towns, and sell their things a wee bit cheaper than the shops."

"And I'm sorry to say the people of Auchtermuchty are taking advantage of it, and buying up on Tuesday afternoons things they will need for the week."

AN OLD LAW
"But there's an old law in Auchtermuchty," he continued with a smile, "that we are going to revive, to put a stop to it."

"That old law, a very old custom in Auchtermuchty, puts a toll of twopenny on each cart that comes into the town, selling things. It's a very good law, that, more than 400 years old, and when I was a boy, 60 years ago, I can remember it was still in force then."

"If we revive that old law, every cart that comes selling into Auchtermuchty on a Tuesday afternoon will have to pay the town a toll of twopenny. That'll stop it."

"This twopenny tariff," I asked, "is it designed to make the foreign carts stay out, or pay to come in?"

"In Scotland," replied the Dean of the Guild, "it will keep them out. Twopenny a cart, every Tuesday, should do the trick nicely."

RADIO BROADCAST

Jazz Piano Recital By Doreen Ma

BOOK REVIEWS BY A. D.

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles): 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7-11 p.m. European Programme. 7 p.m. Excerpts from Light Opera and Musical Comedy.

Tom Jones—Selection (German); Songs—To shield the husband's honour—Heiter (Offenbach); O Divine Couple—Helen (Offenbach); Friedel Schuster (Soprano); Selection—Toad of Toad Hall (Fraser-Simson); Song—If I am dreaming—"The Dubarry"—Heddie Nash (Tenor); The Shepherd's Song—"Helen"—Heddie Nash (Tenor). 7.30 p.m. A Relay from Davenport.

Vol Rosing and his Orchestra. 7.50 p.m. From the Studio. "Book Reviews" by A. D. 8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements. 8.05 p.m. "Liebestraume" (Liszt). 8.10 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Bruce Lewis (Violin) and Elvise Yuen (Soprano).

Programme. 1. Violin Solos—Cavatina... Raft. Minuet, Beethoven; 2. Songs—Freschi lughi, pratti autenti... Donaudy. No. non mi guardate... Donaudy; 3. Violin Solos—Waltz in A Major... Brahms. Andantino... Marini; 4. Songs—Spirate pur, sprate... Donaudy. Amor mi tiene in pugno... Donaudy.

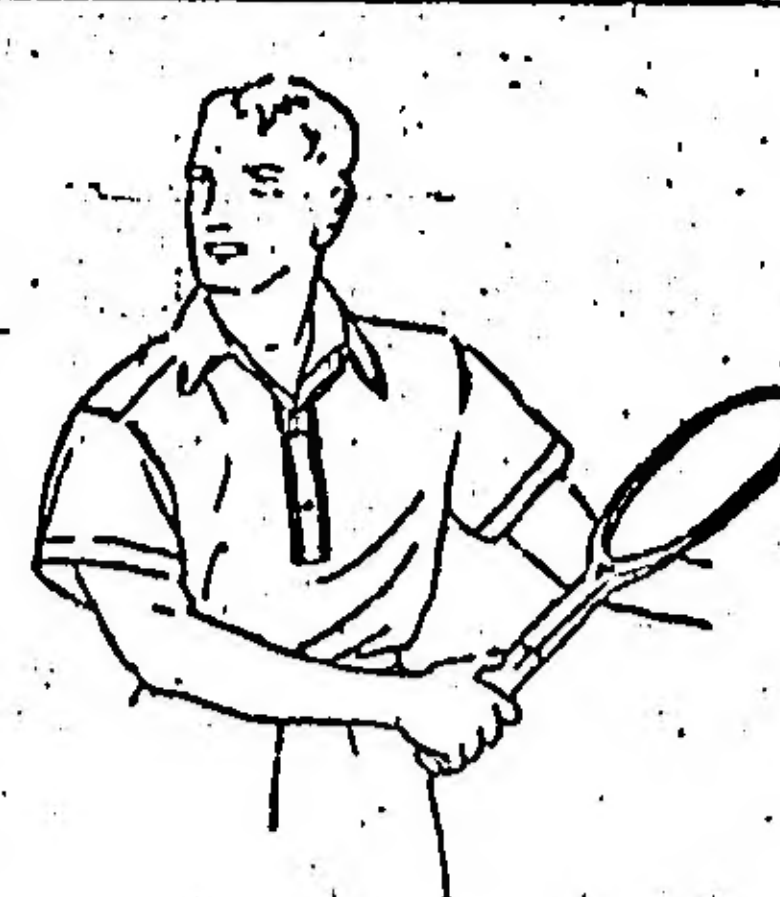
8.35 p.m. Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. Toccata and Fugue (Bach); Tone Poem "Finlandia" (Sibelius); Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt). 9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. Variety. Accordion Solo—A Little Gypsy Tea Room... George Scott Wood; Song—This is the kiss of romance... Lucienne Boyer; Instrumental—Sweet Hawaiian Maid... Andy Long and his Islanders; Song—Love's Last Word is spoken... Gracie Fields; Vocal—Twilight on the Trail... The Hill Billies; Organ Solo—Grasshoppers' Dances... Sydney Gustard. 9.40 p.m. From the Studio. A Jazz Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

Programme. 1. Medley; 2. Poor Butterfly; 3. Contrasts; 4. We're in a Panic; 5. My Love. 10 p.m. Big Ben from London. Light Orchestral Selections. Broken Doll; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Your heart called mine; Vienna in Springtime; Za Zou Za. 10.15 p.m. Songs by Nelson Eddy (Baritone). 1. Trump, Trump, Trump along the Highway ("Naughty Marietta") (Herbert). 2. Nenth the Southern Moon ("Naughty Marietta"). 3. You are free ("Apple Blossoms"). 4. Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy). 10.30 p.m. Dance Music. 11 p.m. Close Down.

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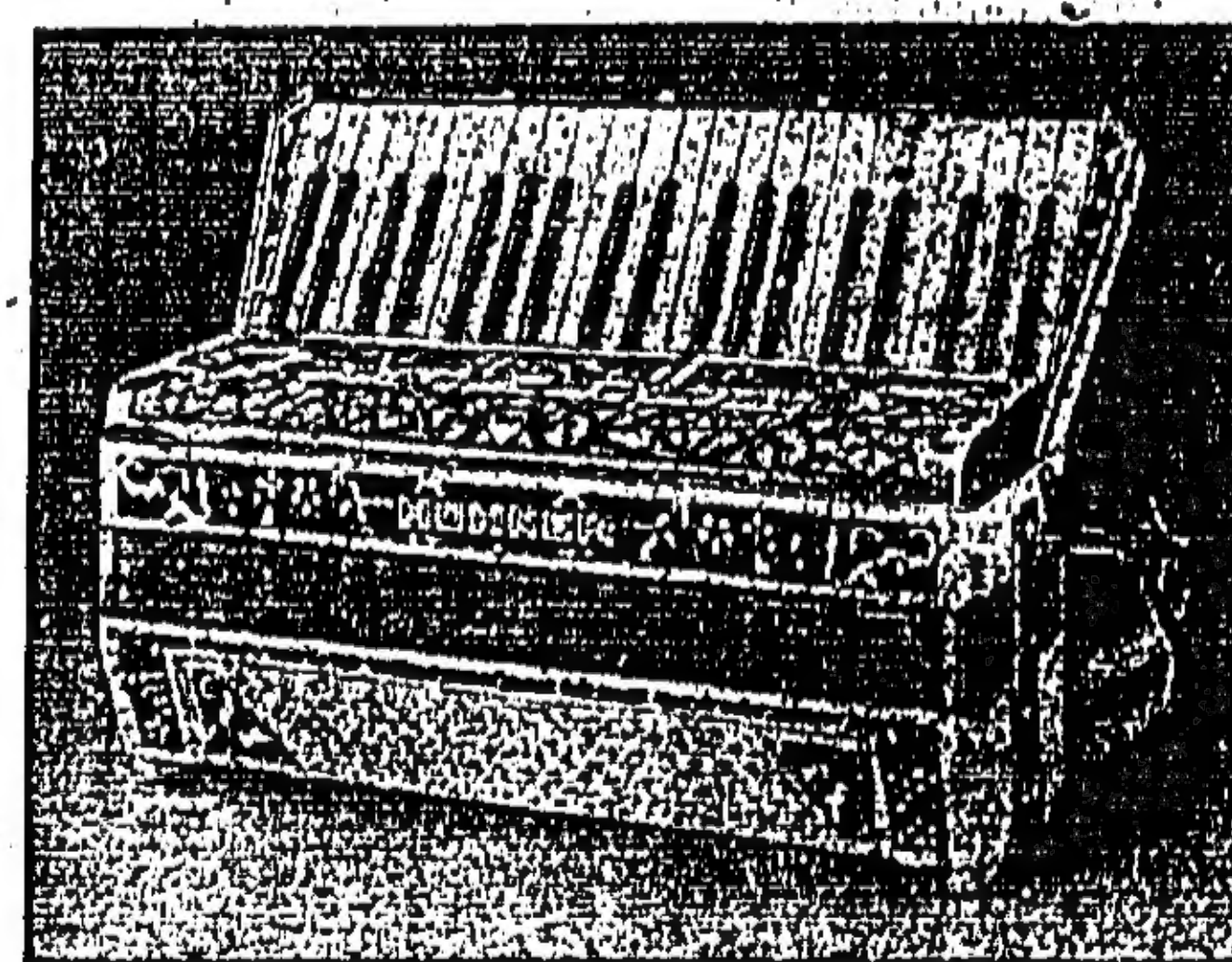
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Shanghai's Interport Lawn Bowls Teams

THREE POWERFUL RINKS CHOSEN

Well-Known Players Included VICTORY IS PREDICTED

The Lawn Bowls Association have now released the names of the players chosen by the Selection Committee to represent Shanghai against Hongkong in the early part of September. The following are the players, venue and date of the three interport matches:—

1st Interport, Sept. 9 on the Police Lawn Bowling Club green in Hongkong Park—C. W. Glover (S.L.B.C. Skip), T. G. Main (H.C.C. No. 3), C. Richards (S.L.B.C. No. 2), F. Medina (C. L. Lead).

2nd Interport, Sept. 13 on the Yau-ni-ye Bowling Club green in Hongkong Park—A. J. Hall (S.L.B.C. Skip), J. E. Harvey (H.C.C. No. 3), C. F. Remondet (H.C.C. No. 2), C. M. Sequiera (H.C.C. Lead).

3rd Interport, Sept. 14 on the Recreation Ground—G. V. Jensen (H.C.C. Skip), J. P. de Campos (C.L. No. 3), H. G. Howard (S.L.B.C. No. 2), W. T. Manley (H.C.C. Lead).

Reserves.—Skip, D. Ramsay (H.C.C. No. 3), F. O. Mada (H.C.C. No. 2), J. W. Brierley (H.C.C. Lead), A. Harvey (S.L.B.C.). All matches are to start at 3 p.m.

It is interesting to note that the players in the first rink are the same, although not playing in the same order, that last August when they were defeated by F. Cullen, skip, J. Fraser, A. M. Holland, J. Punccheon, by 25-16.

The Selection Committee have made a fairly good job of a difficult task, they have chosen three strong rinks, which in one or two instances, might have been improved upon, but naturally it is impossible to please everyone with so many good players to pick from. The reserves are particularly strong and would probably make a stronger rink than at least one of those chosen. In lawn bowls, more than any other game, there are players who are exceptionally good, who never seem to catch the eye and are missed by selection committees, year after year. Whilst other players not quite so good and perhaps trading on past reputations, are chosen year after year.

Although Hongkong are sending up a strong team this year, they will probably find the task of beating the three rinks chosen to oppose them, a bit too difficult and there is no reason why Shanghai should not again be successful and make it three straight wins.

JESSE OWENS SAILS

Athlete Going Home In The Queen Mary

Southampton, Aug. 19. Jesse Owens, the negro athlete who won the 100 metres, 200 metres and running broad jump at the Berlin Olympic Games, and helped the United States to win the 400 Metres Relay in world-record time, sailed by the Queen Mary for America to-day. He has received many offers to turn professional, and will consider them when he returns.—United Press.

Crawford Says "Phenomenal" of Perry's Cup-winning Tennis

(By Bruce Harris)

When Crawford and Perry discussed with me each other their rubber match, won decisively by Perry—and with it the Davis Cup—6-2, 6-3, 6-3. Perry said: "I knew when I went into court that my tennis of the kind I was either there or it wasn't. I found that it was present and correct, and so went out for a quick win before it deserted me."

"I think Jack was nervous, and probably the other members of our team had taken toll by running him about."

"Behind you, I was hitting the ball early. And knowing that I was doing so and that I had struck a patch, I took all sorts of risks in going up to the net on poor preparation."

"But the shots were there in the crisis, and all went well. 'Did I feel nervous in the third set when I lost three games after leading 6-0?' I hardly know. It was such a rush. But from that point onwards I threw all my energy into clearing the match."

CHINESE ATHLETES CRITICISED

By Mosquito Press

The Shanghai mosquito press, one of the strongest arms of China's Fourth Estate, has received reports of the string of defeats of the Chinese Olympic teams with keen disappointment and sarcasm, but still with faint hopes and encouragement for the future.

Although none of the mosquito papers take cable stories from any of the foreign news agencies, they obtain their information regarding the Olympic competitions from the "big papers" and have commented extensively on the results of the events, particularly those concerning Chinese participants.

A survey shows that probably never before has the Chinese press in general taken such a keen interest in the Olympic Games as this year, this being chiefly due to the large number of Chinese participants in the competitions.

While the mosquito press critics generally agreed beforehand that China had no chance in track and field events, they had, however, expected a better display in the basketball games and in a few of the heats.

PAINFUL DEFEAT

They were particularly disappointed at the first basketball defeat, when China lost to Japan. There was a faint hope of getting to the semi-finals in this sport and a sting of defeat was more painful because the victor was Japan. Had it been some other country probably the mosquito press would not have been so bitter.

The members of the quintet, who were described by the Central News Special Correspondent at Berlin, as "haughty," came in for another attack when they lost in the second game to Peru. The defeat of the soccer team at the hands of Britain was a foregone conclusion, but some praise was dished out to the team for keeping the score so close.

TIMES DOUBTED

Individuals who came in for attack included Liu Chang-chun, the 100-metre sprinter, Paul Fu, pole vault champion, and Miss Yang Sau-king, pretty Chinese swimmer. The press was disappointed as none of these national champions got placed in the first trials. One commentator asks whether the national record of Liu—10.7 seconds—was accurate, and why he did not place in the Berlin heats when some runners did by 11 seconds flat. Another critic doubts the timekeepers in China, saying that probably the stop-watch was pressed a little sooner, just to make the record look good and to please the runner and the public.

Paul Fu, who crossed the bar at 4.1 metres at the last National Athletic Meet, merely reached the 3.75 metres mark at Berlin, which caused another critic to doubt the actual record made in China. Miss Yang, who was 15 metres behind the winner in the 100 metres heat for women, was criticised as being spoiled by the public in China, who put her "too high."

In speaking of the races, one paper says that probably the peoples with coloured skin are not physically up to par with the white race, and then turns around and says that Jesse Owens, the negro sprinter, also has coloured skin.



English league footballers are now in the midst of rigorous training in preparation for the new season which opens on Saturday week. Here can be seen Charlton Athletic players putting in some routine work.

Barson To Captain S'hai Interport Cricket Team

SUCCESSOR TO DONALD LEACH

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

The Shanghai Cricket Club announced yesterday that A. J. Barson has been selected to captain the Shanghai Interport cricket team against Hongkong, which will be played in Shanghai early in October probably about the "Double Tenth." At the same time it was announced that the following five would comprise the Interport selection committee: H. A. Coward, E. C. Baker, W. C. G. Clifford, P. V. Simpson and P. Madar.

DUFF'S EXHAUSTING TENNIS MATCH

WITH CARSON

Shanghai, Aug. 16. Winning all three singles matches without the loss of a set, America defeated Britain in the final of the Rotary Cup tennis tournament at the County Athletic Club yesterday. Only W. H. "Stick" Duff furnished strong opposition to the Americans; both Forbes, and in particular H. Madar, being off their game.

The first singles between Lewis Carson and "Stick" Duff turned out to be a gruelling match in which some of the best tennis seen this season was played, after which Duff retired. Carson had just an edge over Duff in smashing, earning valuable points when needed through his deadly overhead work.

It was a bitter struggle right through. Carson led 4-2 in the first set but Duff played an inspired game to even matters 4-4 and both won their services the score reached 7-7 when Duff dropped his second service game to allow the American to win 9-7.

DUFF RALLIES

Quite unruffled by the early success of his opponent, Duff started out strongly in the second set to lead 3-1, an advantage which Carson overcame; only to have the Briton regain again at 5-3.

Duff reached set point twice in the next game but the American was irresistible at this stage and after heated rallies, managed to save the match.

Carson reached his peak in the next game, which he won to love bringing the score to 5-5 and killing three in succession at the net.

The Briton had the lead at 6-5 and again at 8-7 but was unable to break through Carson's service, although at one stage the score was love-30 against Carson.

Duff made his last supreme effort, to take the set when he led 8-8, failure to realise which, apparently disheartened him for he lost the next three games and set 9-11. The Briton had shot his last bolt and retired at the end of the strenuous set.

Detailed results:—

Barson's choice as captain will be thoroughly endorsed by all cricketers in Shanghai for there can be few who have done more to foster the game. He learnt his cricket at Halesbury College and played his first interport match against Hongkong in Shanghai in 1930 when the match was drawn on account of rain. He made 30 on that occasion. The match was played in May and in September he accompanied the S.C.C. side to Hankow. After an exciting match Hankow won by ten runs, Barson's two contributions were 96 and 28. In that year he was also second in batting averages. He played in Hongkong when Shanghai won. The following year when the match was played in Shanghai he was in the side. That time Hongkong triumphed. His last appearance against Hongkong was in 1934. The interport was played here and Shanghai won quite comfortably.

SUCCEEDS LEACH

He could probably have gone down with the team to Hongkong last year but instead chose to go to Hankow. He also went to Hankow in 1933 when Shanghai won by one wicket. Last year Hankow won by one wicket. His selection brings the long run of captaincy held by D. W. Leach back from leave in time for the interport match. The S.C.C. committee have been wise not to choose him for, excellent cricketer that he is, he is bound to be out of touch with local cricket.

For the past two seasons Barson has captained the Wanderers League side.

CUNNINGHAM'S RECORD RUN

800 METRES IN 1:49.7

Stockholm, Aug. 20. Glen Cunningham, the famous American athlete, who performed with distinction at the World Olympics, to-day, shattered the world's record in an 800 metres race, when he broke the amazing time of 1 min. 49.7 secs.

Previous best for this distance was that of Thomas Hampson that English half-miler, who had a recognised record of 1 min. 49.8 secs., while Ben Eastman, another brilliant American runner also clocked 1:49.8 over 800 yards.—Reuter.

Lewis Carson beat W. H. Duff 9-7, 11-9 (retired).

C. C. Squires beat R. Forbes 6-2, 12-10, 6-4.

S. Mellman beat H. Madar 6-2, 6-4, 8-6.

World Title Bout Next February

New York, Aug. 20.

It was announced here to-day that the postponed fight between James Braddock and Max Schmeling for the heavyweight title of the world, is expected to be staged at Miami in February next.—United Press.

M. W. Lo Returns To League Tennis

AND WINS THREE SETS.

M. W. Lo, 1929 Colony tennis champion, made a welcome reappearance in league tennis yesterday when he partnered his sister, Mrs. Litton. In a mixed doubles match against United Services Recreation Club, and won all three sets.

Chinese Recreation Club won the match by seven sets to two, the only visiting pair to score successes being L. Goldman and Mrs. Wilson, who secured two out of three sets.

Mrs. Dowling returned to the U.S.R.C. team after a lengthy absence, but she and A. L. Sullivan could, make no impression on the powerful Chinese pairs.

C.R.C. are now firmly set for the mixed doubles championship. They have to meet K.C.C. (1) twice, need only to beat them once to win the title. Only by losing their last two matches can C.R.C. fail to win the league.

Yesterday's scores and the amended league table follow.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	6	0	0	0	45	8	12
U.S.R.C.	0	4	0	2	30	21	8
K.C.C. (1)	4	3	0	1	25	11	6
Recreo	0	1	4	14	12	3	3
K.C.C. (2)	8	0	1	7	17	55	1

PRIZES FOR WORST BRIDGE HANDS

Best Also to Be Accorded Recognition

New York, Aug. 16. Mr. Ely Culbertson, the famous bridge expert, has announced that he will give prizes for the best and worst hands in bridge. The only conditions are that the hands must be dealt in a bona fide game and must be authenticated by a notary public.

Mr. Culbertson believes that his offer will settle once and for all the periodical reports of hands containing thirteen cards or one suit, and will check statistically a person's chances of drawing such a hand.—United Press.

LEAGUE TENNIS

K. I. T. C. STILL WINNING

To-day's Big Encounter

"C" DIVISION

The long drawn-out contest for the "C" Division tennis league championship is nearing its end. Yesterday Kowloon Indian Tennis Club overcame another important obstacle by beating South China in the latter's final match of the season.

This afternoon K.I.T.C. who are neck and neck with Recreo for the honours, meet Kowloon Tong, after which they play Recreo in the last match of the programme.

To-day's match is of unusual interest as it will bring in opposition the two most successful pairs in the league, namely the Hussain brothers of Kowloon Indians, who have won all 27 sets played to date, and the Chan brothers of Kowloon Tong, whose record falls but little behind that of the Hussain combination.

This set is certainly expected to produce some of the best tennis seen in the "C" Division this summer, and the outcome may be anything so well do the pairs appear to be matched.

The game is being played at Kowloon Tong, which is a pleasure to the K.I.T.C. who will have to play every inch in order to win, and the result may easily go in favour of the homeboys by the odd set.

Yesterday saw the Army Tennis Club finish their programme with a drawn match against Craigengower, this also being Craigengower's last game of the season.

Even without one of the Chan brothers, Kowloon Tong won quite comfortably against Chinese Recreation Club, while it was the Hussain brothers and together with Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan who pulled the game through for K.I.T.C. against South China.

Details of the matches and the revised league table follow.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Recreo	10	10	0	0	75	14	20
K.I.T.C.	9	9	0	0	68	14	18
S.C.A.A.	11	9	0	2	65	33	18
K.T.G.C.A.	10	7	0	3	60	30	14
A.T.C.	11	6	1	4	46	38	13
K.C.C. (A)	11	4	1	6	44	54	9
H.K.U.T.C.	10	4	1	5	36	52	9
K.C.C. (B)	11	4	1	6	45	54	9
S.C.C.C.	10	2	1	7	27	62	5
C.R.C.	11	2	1	8	31	68	5
C.R.C.	0	1	0	6	28	52	2
I.R.C.	10	0	0	10	15	74	0

Results: N. P. Karanjia and A. Hung (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 2-6; beat Q. M. S. Davies and S. S. Cooper 6-3; beat S. O'Connor and L. Cpl. Tudor 6-1.

S. A. Cassumhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 1-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S. S. Cooper 2-6; beat S. O'Connor and L. Cpl. Tudor 6-2.

L. Choa and D. Hing (C.C.C.) drew with S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 6-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S. S. Cooper 6-3.

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SUCCESSFUL RACKET WIELDERS

IN "C" DIVISION OF TENNIS LEAGUE

The following are the most successful pairs to date in the "C" Division of the tennis league. Their performances include yesterday's matches.

"C" DIVISION

	Set	P. W. L. D.
S. A. and S. S. Hussain (K.I.T.C.)	27	27 0 0
H. and A. Chan (K.T.G.C.A.)	24	23 0 1
G. E. Wilson and R. S. Capell (K.C.C.C.)	27	20 4 3
L. A. Silva and J. Xavier (Recreo)	24	19 2 3
M. A. Khan (K.I.T.C.)	27	18 0 0
Fowles and Warr (A.T.C.)	50	19 0 2
M. (K.I.T.C.)	27	18 0 0
V. Freeman and L. F. Kirby	30	17 0 0
G. and H. Norman (Recreo)	18	16 1 1
A. M. Silva and G. Goncalves (Recreo)	15	14 1 0
Davis and Cooper (A.T.C.)	20	13 14 3
King and O'Connor (A.T.C.)	24	11 9 4
Q. M. S. Warr and W. L. Dewar (K.C.C.C.)	12	10 2 0
G. Orr and A. Philippon (K.C.C.C.)	18	9 3 1
N. P. Karanjia and G. S. (K.C.C.C.)	18	9 4 2
N. P. Karanjia and G. S. (K.C.C.C.)	18	9 4 2
G. Hing and G. A. White (K.C.C.C.)	9	7 2 0
G. Hing and G. A. White (K.C.C.C.)	15	7 1 1
D. Agarwal and J. Faro (S.C.C.C.)	15	7 4 4
P. A. Broadbent and J. S. Smith (K.C.C.C.)	12	6 6 0
G. P. Bentley and R. N. (K.C.C.C.)	12	6 4 2
C. W. and C. L. Ma (K.C.C.)	12	6 10 0
A. M. Silva and H. Ribeiro (Recreo)	6	5 0 1
C. G. and A. A. (K.C.C.A.)	6	5 1 0
A. Baker and A. J. (H.C.C.)	16	5 10 0
N. P. Karanjia and G. S. (K.C.C.C.)	24	5 17 2
H. Norman and H. Goncalves (Recreo)	6	4 2 0
S. Chan and P. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	6	4 2 0
S. Cassumhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	18	4 13 1
S. Chan and P. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	8	3 0 0
C. P. Ip and T. (S.C.A.A.)	8	3 0 0
C. C. and A. A. (K.C.C.C.)	8	3 0 0
N. P. Karanjia and A. L. Fisher (K.C.C.C.)	8	3 0 0
A. Hung and G. S. (K.C.C.C.)	8	3 0 0
H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (K.C.C.C.)	9	3 5 1
L. Choa and A. Hung (C.C.C.)	6	2 4 0
G. C. and K. C. Y. (K.T.G.C.A.)	8	2 1 0
H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (S.C.A.A.)	8	2 1 0
M. K. Ma and T. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	8	2 1 0
A. L. Fisher and P. A. Broadbent (K.C.C.C.)	8	2 1 0
Y. N. Tan (University)	8	2 1 0
K. L. Chan and H. Tong (University)	3	2 0 1
B. Ho and P. C. Yu (University)	6	2 3 1
A. L. Tan and S. (University)	3	2 1 0
A. Wei and T. C. (C.L.C.)	3	2 1 0
H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (S.C.A.A.)	3	2 1 0
M. K. Ma and T. K. Leung (S.C.A.A.)	3	2 1 0
A. M. Silva and F. J. Remondet (Recreo)	3	2 1 0
N. P. Karanjia and G. S. (K.C.C.C.)	3	2 1 0

MEAD SUMMONED FOR NOT MAINTAINING HIS MOTHER

Philip Mead, the Hampshire county cricketer, was summoned at South-Western police court, London, last month, for not maintaining, when of sufficient means, his mother, Louisa Hannah Mead.

Mr. F. M. Conlan, prosecuting for the L.C.C., said that Mead's mother had been in a Poor Law institution and was chargeable to the L.C.C. She was 73 years of age.

Mead was a married man with three children.

Mr. Claud Mullins, the magistrate, made an order for 7s. 6d. a week.

China Is To Follow Germany's Lead

AND ORGANISE SPORTS ON OLYMPIC LINES

Berlin, Aug. 18. Dr. C. T. Wang, the chairman of the China National Amateur Athletic Federation, and Mr. Sung, the leader of the Chinese Olympic team, to-day were presented by Dr. Frick, German Minister of the Interior, on behalf of Chancellor Adolf Hitler with the German Olympic medal of honour in recognition of their services in ensuring China's representation at the XIth Olympic Games at Berlin.

In an interview with Trans-Ocean Mr. Sung stated: "We never expected any victories from the beginning since with us modern sport is comparatively young. But the one great advantage we have gained from the Games is the insight into the German sport organization. In future we will organize sport in China along German lines. At a meeting of the China National Amateur Athletic Federation held here it was decided to submit a fifteen year plan to the Chinese Government for the physical development of the Chinese youth."

Answering the question whether the performances of the athletes had equalled their achievements at home, Mr. Sung said: "No, since for one thing, the climate did not suit all competitors." Mr. Sung further stated that the organization of the Games had made a great impression on them, all paying glowing tribute to the Germans' native talent for organization and to the hospitality shown by all foreigners.

Asked when the team was leaving, Mr. Sung stated that the footballers were playing matches at Vienna and London while the rest of the team intended to make trips through Germany. They would all meet on September 4 at Naples for their homeward voyage.

To the question what hopes China had on the next Olympic Games at Tokyo, Mr. Sung replied: "In Tokyo we will appear with a larger team than at Berlin and we hope that there we will meet with more success, especially as our men by then will be better prepared. The four games which we have until the Tokyo Games begin will be devoted to intensive training."

SHORT HISTORY OF AUSTRALIAN CRICKET

WHEN SPOFFORTH MADE HIS FIRST APPEARANCE

ARTICLE VI
(By R. Abbit)

The English team had been more or less happy at Ballarat, but they had next to move to a place called Stawell which was seventy four miles away and the road was little else but a bush track. I am not precisely sure what a Cobb's coach may be but it is clearly not as comfortable as a modern car! And for twelve hours W. G. and his protesting team were bumped across country to their destination.

However, it seems that they received a most warm welcome and they had a day's rest during which W. G. and Gilbert went shooting and most of the others visited the gold mine there—reputedly a very wealthy one. It was just as well that they had a pleasant day as the game against the local twenty-two as usual, was a dreadful experience. The wicket was so rough and dusty that on one occasion a slow ball failed to reach the batsman at all, while no amount of force could hit the ball along the ground to the boundary. Suffice it to say that the local side—better used to these conditions—won by ten wickets in a couple of days. W. G. had had enough of it and went off shooting but six professionals took on twelve of the local people at single wicket, pretty good, a horrible licking. As W. G. pointed out on many occasions if the wicket is not only bad but absurdly bad, all players are reduced to the same level.

MORE TROUBLES

The troubles of the side, however were not yet over. Having suffered very much from dust on the first drive, they now met mud, on their journey to Warnambool via Ararat and apparently they could have done with the ark, as it rained in torrents during a ninety mile drive. They finally arrived soaked to the skin, with their baggage also sodden with wet. The usual warm welcome was given them at the Hotel, where they arrived very late, but the English skipper was definitely peeved when he was knocked up by a reporter at midnight, and apparently the "interview" was neither long nor successful.

The cricket, thanks to the fact that the wicket had been transformed by the rain into a flatish swamp instead of a series of bumps, was a little easier and the English side about half way through the second day had won by nine wickets. As usual there was a single wicket match. W. G. Bush, Gilbert and G. F. Grace took on ten local men but it was a draw. There are some curious side-lights on the way things went in Australia in these days. It is recorded that card-sharper and professional gamblers swarmed on the ground and plied their trade in complete disregard of the police. The local authorities also had let the catering for these days be pretty good, however, so instead of the English team all getting a day off, six professionals and five local men took on eighteen local men to fill up the third day and got soundly beaten. The others seem to have gone kangaroo shooting, and had a pretty good time. From here the team went to Melbourne, exchanging the pains of land travel for those of seafaring. The usual seasickness came on and for sixteen hours they had a bad time which was repeated a couple of days later on their voyage up to Sydney.

SPOFFORTH'S FIRST MATCH

The match which was played there against an eighteen of New South Wales marks the first appearance of Spofforth, who got two wickets for sixteen in the second innings. Altogether the English side did not cover themselves with glory and were beaten by eight wickets. They next were due to go to Maitland but the ground was under water and so they dodged a journey by sea and had a train journey for a change—a slow railway travelling which, however, proved infinitely more agreeable than our travelling adventures in the lumbering coaches in the bush, and the tossing little steamers of the coast. There was quite a good match at Bathurst and England won by eight wickets. The Governor of New South Wales Sir Hercules Robinson went along and saw the match. He had been Governor of Hongkong from 1859 to 1865. Thence they returned to Sydney and played a combined fifteen of Victoria and New South Wales. It was in this match that the rather unpleasant episode of the batsman who would not go out took place. But it did not prevent a most hearty ovation by the spectators when later on the game was finished off in the favour of England.

They had the usual bad trip down to Melbourne—somewhat cheered by an enormous oyster supper when W. G. purchased a sack of oysters which was part of the ship's freight. But they did not stop long in Melbourne, but went off to Sandhurst and afterwards to Castlemaine. As usual the wickets were terrible and W. G. mentions that their lives were spared nearly out of them by the reckless way in which coach drivers took steep hills at a gallop.

After a return to Melbourne where England beat a fifteen of Victoria by seven wickets they left for the usual Tasmanian trip where a couple of games were won. The impression left on my mind is that the cricket in Tasmania then was considered better than that in Australia, through possibly the fact that there was a perfect road for the drive of a hundred and twenty-five miles from Lannecaton to Hobart. Town may have rendered W. G. a bit more appreciative. He certainly enjoyed the apples. The most notable cricket force was a score of 154 by G. F. Grace which stood as a record in Tasmania for a good many years.

The tour was drawing to an end. There was a drawn match at Melbourne and then a desperate sea voyage and another bumpy drive through bush country to Kadina. I have already mentioned the awful ground there, and the extra match that was played at Adelaide.

TOUR CONCLUDES

This was the end of the tour and the side returned home racing England on 18th May. The impression left on me by reading W. G. Grace's account of it—which by the way was written about a quarter of a century after the tour—is that while he liked the people the blows were not enjoyed the hardships whether of transport or of the wicket which had to be suffered during most of the up-country games. There is a story told by Mr. Athum that W. G. said, in a farewell dinner, to Boyle (who came to England in the 1878 side) "If you ever come to England and your bowlers are as good there, as they are here, you will make a name for yourselves." They did!

Reverting once more to the question of the journeys which in these days were, with the exception of sea trips round the coast and one bit of railway from Sydney to Bathurst, made by coach, I had supposed that it was a thing of the very distant past. But I was most interested and surprised to hear from a local gentleman who follows cricket very closely that though there are up to date trains all is not yet perfect. He writes:—

"Curiously enough, similar complaint exists to-day in respect of the train journey from Melbourne to Sydney, concerning which a member of the Rugby League team which recently toured Australia says: 'This journey is about the world's worst.' Dinner is of the 'hit and miss' variety, that is to say, one mouthful of food hits its objective O.K., but it is never a 5 to 4 chance that the next has the same luck. When you attempt to drink coffee, the odds are distinctly against a successful coup. To sleep in such a 'rattler' is difficult—in fact some of our newcomers had a very poor night."

But the length of the voyage is a thing of the past—I gather you got to Perth or rather Fremantle sooner than you do to Hongkong if you leave Marseilles at the same time. And Cuffin would be amazed at the size and the luxury of the modern liner which goes to Australia! (To be continued.)

SMALL UNITS GALA

SPLENDID EVENT AT Y.M.C.A.

KEEN RIVALRY

The Annual Aquatic Meeting of the Small Units Sports Club was held last night at the Y.M.C.A. swimming-bath, a large group of friends turning up to cheer on the participants. Major G. A. Beagle-Browne, R.A.S.C., presided as referee.

The strong R.A.M.C. swimmer, Private Wright won the first individual honour, the 220 yards Free Style, Sigmund, Bonham, R.C.S., placing second. The Inter-Unit Diving Competition for the Championship Challenge Cup was won by the R.A.M.C. with a total of 117½ points. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lan. Reg. and Mr. R. Goldman, were the diving judges.

Private Wright won the 50 yard Dash as well, with Private Lawler, R.A.O.C. following. Mrs. Burke won the 25 yards Ladies' Race, while Miss Fallowfield was placed second. In the 100 yards Breast Stroke for individual honours, Private Hughes, R.A.M.C. was placed first with Private Harris of the same Unit close behind.

Lieut. Grossman, R.A.O.C., won the 50 yard Officers' Race. Private Wright again came to the front in the 400 yards, when he earned an ovation by finishing the race two lengths ahead of the second man, Private Underwood and the third man, the latter two fighting gamely to the end of the 16 length race.

The final event on the programme was the Inter-Unit Relay Race which was won again by the R.A.M.C. In the early part of the race, R.A.M.C. was quite far behind, but a burst of speed by the fourth man in the team of six not only cut down his Unit's losing margin, but managed to put the race well in the winner's hands. Private Wright, anchor man, finished the Meet in a final burst of speed.

Officials in the Meeting, in addition to the Referee, were Capt. G. S. O'N. Power, R. Signals, Capt. L. J. Walsh, R.A.S.C., Capt. J. Boyle, R.A.M.C., and Lieut. G. Gillam, who served as judges. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E. Lan. Reg. who was starter, while Lieut. F. W. Steves, R.A.O.C. and Sgt. W. S. Reeves, R.A.O.C. were the time keepers. The Chief Whip was Mr. Q.M.S. J. McGarry, R.A.M.C., Hon. Secretary: Lieut. E. H. Reeder, R.A.S.C.; Announcer, C.S.M. T. W. R. Sablin, R.A.S.C. and the Recorder was S/Sgt. A. Benson, R.A.S.C.

Actually, Lance Corporal Pearce of the Royal Engineers was first, followed by Private Taylor, East Lanes, and Lieut. Calvert of the Royal Engineers in that order.

K.I.T.C. STILL WINNING

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and S/Sgt. Cooper 3-0; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-2.

KOWLOON TONG BEATS C.R.C.

Results: O-L. Pang and K-C. Yee (K.T.C.) beat H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-1.

A. Chan and W. H. Wei (K.T.C.) beat H. W. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-3.

J. F. Un and Mok Ling (K.T.C.) lost to H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 1-6; lost to C. Wei and S. L. Ma 2-6; lost to P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 3-6.

SOUTH CHINA A.A. BEATEN

N. K. Ma and Y. K. Ng lost to S. S. and S. A. Hussain 1-6; beat Firdos Khan and M. M. Khan 6-3; beat I. Mahan Singh and T. M. V. Devan 6-2.

T. T. Ma and P. Y. Kwok lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; beat Khan and Khan 5-7; lost to Mahan Singh and Devan 0-6.

J. Mok and Y. L. Kwan lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 2-6; beat Mahan Singh and Devan 6-4.

Mr. J. R. Masson returned to the Colony yesterday after a brief visit to Shanghai.

Three cases of Typhoid were reported to the local Health authorities on Wednesday.

Four Shanghai Swimming Records Lowered

SPLENDID PERFORMANCES BY JAPANESE AND AMERICAN

In four out of the five championship swimming events held at the Cercle Sportif Francaise gala last week, existing Shanghai records were broken. Honours were divided between M. Matsushita, the Japanese swimmer who lowered the middle distance records, and T. Britton, the 16-year-old American who set up new marks in the sprint events. The backstroke, the only ladies championship event of the evening was won by Miss S. Brabner.

Tommy Britton lowered the existing Shanghai record for the 50 yards men's free style, jointly held previously by Noel Hammond and Frank Hadley at 25 2/5 seconds. Britton's time last night was 25 seconds, which considering the straight swim without a turn is very good. L. Oliveira sprang a surprise by taking second place beating A. Gavriloff by a touch. Britton also won the 100 yards junior free style championship, lowering his own record made last year of 59 2/5 seconds and setting up the new mark of 59 1/5 seconds.

Confirming predictions, M. Matsushita broke two existing Shanghai records. He finished an easy winner in the 440 yards free style, and lowered the existing record of 5 minutes 40 2/5 seconds, being recorded at 5 minutes 34 1/5 seconds last night. D. Smith, the 16-year-old American had also broke the old record, finishing second in 5 minutes 44 seconds, and T. Tonishi was third. M. Matsushita was given a good race by his colleague T. Tonishi in the 220 yards free style, and won by five yards in the new record of 2 minutes 32 4/5 seconds, as compared with Hammond's old mark of 2 minutes 34 seconds. D. Smith was third.

Miss Stephanie Brabner won the ladies 50 yards backstroke event from Miss Helen Rodriguez, the time for the race being 43 seconds. The existing record is 38 seconds held by Mrs. V. E. Raven (nee Miss V. E. Schmid). In the concluding water polo match of the evening, the French Club defeated a Hong Kong team by four goals to one after leading by two goals to nil at the interval.

BRITTON'S BAD LUCK

Tommy Britton swam half the length of the pool as a result of a false start in the 50 yards championship event before he was stopped. He was given ten minutes to rest before the start was made again, and on this occasion all four swam very level. Gavriloff held level with Britton for the first half of the race, but the latter went slightly ahead with his longer and more powerful strokes, Oliveira coming up at the end to contest second place with Gavriloff. Britton won by five feet, with Oliveira second, a touch ahead of Gavriloff.

M. Matsushita set a fast pace for the earlier places of the 440 yards free style championship. Logan attempted to hold level with him, but could not stay the pace and after two lengths dropped back. D. Smith and T. Konishi swam level in third place, 25 yards behind Matsushita, and 10 yards behind Logan, but came up to pass Logan in the turn into the fourth length. Matsushita could not increase his lead on Smith and Konishi, and went on to win by 25 yards.

Gavriloff got away to a fine start in the junior 100 yards and led Britton in the first lap, but the latter came up very strongly at the turn, and within a stroke was level, going on to win by five feet, Gavriloff being

second and Prince third, some distance behind.

KONISHI HOLDS MATSUSHITA
A terrific pace was set for the 220 yards men's free style championship, Gavriloff holding ahead level with Konishi and Matsushita for the first length, Logan and Smith being slightly behind. At the turn, the two Japanese commenced to draw away, swimming side by side, and Gavriloff dropped back. Smith came up towards the middle of the second length with Logan close on his heels, though both were still slightly behind Gavriloff. In the third length, Konishi still held level with Matsushita, the latter failing to leave his colleague behind until he had turned into the final lap, and here he pulled away, to go on and win by ten feet.

Qualifying For Wimbledon

A DIG AT THE AUTHORITIES

The following is an amusing letter published recently in *Lawn Tennis and Badminton*, in which the writer—a prominent tournament player in England—jibes at the methods adopted by the All-England Lawn Tennis Club in accepting or rejecting entries for Wimbledon.

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Dear Sir,—For many years I have enjoyed a facility of inventive genius and have managed to fill up the foot of the form very fully—allegation very difficult—on the Championships Entry Form. But now I am writing to you for advice. What shall I say next year? The club has been so often to the well, that the latter is dry.

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Yours truly,
H. M. TURNBULL.

Khoo's Mother at Deathbed After Tragic Vigil

Penang, July 31.
Semi-conscious, scarcely able to recognise his closest friends, and with his eyesight failing him, Khoo Hooi-hye, perhaps the most famous of all Chinese tennis players, died at his mother's home here on Sunday in tragic circumstances.

His last words to his mother, who had kept a bedside watch on her stricken son almost continually for the three weeks of his long illness, were: "What is that fire? I see smoke! It comes!" A sudden silence fell in the room as death claimed a great sportsman. He breathed his last at 5 p.m., surrounded by a despairing group of friends and relatives.

That, the late Khoo Hooi-hye was held in great esteem by many was evident in the huge representative attendance at the funeral yesterday, the gathering including numbers of prominent members of the Chinese community, local sportsmen, both foreign and Chinese, and legions of his admirers. Moving tribute was paid to the Chinese sportsman by the huge number of floral wreaths which were piled high on the funeral carriage.

Dense crowds lined the route of the funeral procession and as the remains of the veteran athlete wound its way to its last resting place a deep silence marked its progress. He was interred at the Khoo family cemetery, Thean Tiek Estate.

The greatest tribute of all came from Khoo Hooi-hye's grief-stricken mother. "He was a dutiful son, and a fine man," she said shortly after her sad bereavement.

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Ritchie CALDER

summarises the League of Nations' Interim Report of the Mixed Committee on the Problem of Nutrition (Allen and Unwin, 2s.)

JUST as a starving man, gazing hungrily at the food he is denied, may yield to an ungovernable impulse and smash the plate-glass window, so, too, with hungry nations craning over the barriers of their own economic nationalism.

But the fist which does the smashing may be the mailed fist of armed Dictatorship.

In the one case, it is called "larceny," and in the other, "economic expansion."

But in a world of abundance, the privation which drives either an individual or a nation to desperation is intolerable.

World Challenge

That is made abundantly plain in this report of the committee, of which Lord Astor is chairman and on which are represented the League of Nations Health Committee, the International Labour Office and the International Institute of Agriculture. The other British delegate is Professor Edward Mellanby, Secretary-General of the Medical Research Council.

It is a challenge to the world to find salvation in healthy, well-fed people, to "marry health to agriculture," with Peace as the sacrament. It extends the British findings of Sir John Orr to the whole world.

The economic interests of the community as a whole are bound up in maintaining the standard of physical efficiency among the people and laying the foundations of the health and well-being of future generations," says the report.

Moreover there is a definite social and political interest in the accomplishment of this task, owing to the well-ascertained relationship between the deficiency of food, and especially of protective foods, and social unrest.

It takes as its background the policy of the International Labour Office that "raising living standards in all countries is a condition sine qua non of social justice and peace."

Just as there are supreme National Defence Councils and National Economic Councils, so there should also be a National Food Council.

Raise Incomes!

And the function of these State councils would be to see that adequate food was available for every one, watch family budgets, control food resources.

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true elsewhere—"The average diet of the lower income groups is inadequate for good health. . . . At the most legislative control aims at assuring a 'living wage' or a 'reasonable wage.' These are concepts which assume levels of nutrition actually existent rather than ideal standards."

The "Depression" behind which so many Governments took refuge from the blame for social ills was not the cause of the widespread malnutrition; it only intensified the existing ill.

Adequate nutrition cannot be assured by a policy directed exclusively towards countering the effects of the depression.

"The main cause of malnutrition is poverty. Malnutrition can never be overcome when poverty is its principal cause, except by increasing the income of the poor."

The report argues that the price of foodstuffs could be substantially reduced by limiting the disproportionate costs of distribution.

Starvation Facts

What a picture the report paints of a half-starved world! Mothers dying because they have either been denied food as children, and through rickets, have contracted skeletons which increase the risks of childbirth, or because they have given what nourishment they received to their unborn child and have no resistance to infection or endurance.

In America, 316 out of 576 mothers suffered painful muscular soreness because they were giving out of their own bodies to their unborn children more calcium than they were getting in their diet.

So, too, in Norway, three-fourths of the mothers were calcium deficient.

In London, 50 per cent. of nursing mothers examined were anemic.

Among the infants, the League of Nations inquiry found that infant mortality was largely due to the pernicious combination of poverty and ignorance.

Among the pre-school children appears malformations of the bones, abnormality of the pharynx due to bad feeding. The five-year-olds examined on entering London schools were found to have 67 per cent. to 88 per cent. abnormality

of the bones, 67 per cent. to 82 per cent. of adenoids, septal tonsils, etc., and 88 per cent. to 93 per cent. badly formed or decayed teeth.

by modern habits of life on clothes, which leaves too little money for food.

"Whatever the explanation, it is undoubted that many adolescents in all countries, particularly industrial ones, are being improperly nourished at the present time."

Boys and girls entering industry with good physique at 14 to 15 have deteriorated by 18.

In Belgium, from the examination of 49,000 recruits, physical fitness had declined as compared with 1914.

In Denmark, a third of the recruits present symptoms of "Danish disease" (flat feet, varicose veins, pains in the extremities and cramp in the calf of the leg).

In Finland, 31 per cent. of recruits were rejected as a result of "General malnutrition among the poorer classes."

In Poland, 50 per cent. were rejected.

"How can we help being alarmed when we learn that, in the army of a large European nation, the

diagnosis there is abundant evidence of malnutrition—20 per cent. to 30 per cent. of the children in the poor quarters of Paris . . . is frequent. In Yugoslavia . . . in Poland, 25 per cent. ill-nourished in certain regions, 7 per cent. of them threatened with tuberculosis, and 50 per cent. requiring additional meals . . . in U.S., 74 million children undernourished . . . nearly all the children of the Negro population of New York were suffering from rickets . . . 33 per cent. of the children of Connecticut . . . 43 per cent. of the children in the villages of North Norway . . . 33 to 67 per cent. in the two northern counties of Sweden."

Recruits

Tuberculosis is increasing among the adolescents, and particularly among young girls.

"This state of affairs has been ascribed by some to the modern habit of slimming; by others to the greater expenditure dictated



.. Sometimes to be burned as furnace fuel.

proportion of men rejected has risen between 1923 and 1932 from 45.25 to 67.78 per thousand."

Starvation, they point out, is rampant even in rural areas.

The Committee, among its main interim recommendations to the Assembly, urged that Governments should—

Consider what steps should be taken, whether at the public charge or otherwise, to meet the nutritional needs of the lower income sections of the community;

Consider whether any modification of their general economic and commercial policy is desirable to ensure adequate supplies of foodstuffs, and, in particular, to assist the re-orientation of agricultural policy;

Take all possible steps to make food supplies available at prices within the reach of all classes;

Take steps to improve and co-ordinate marketing and encourage collaboration between co-operative and other forms of producers' and consumers' organisations.

Way To Peace

This is only a preamble to the full report, but it already points the way to the nations to a world economy based upon health through the proper distribution of the wealth of food and the proper organization of agriculture; to a world peace through healthy minds in healthy bodies; to a true 20th century civilisation.

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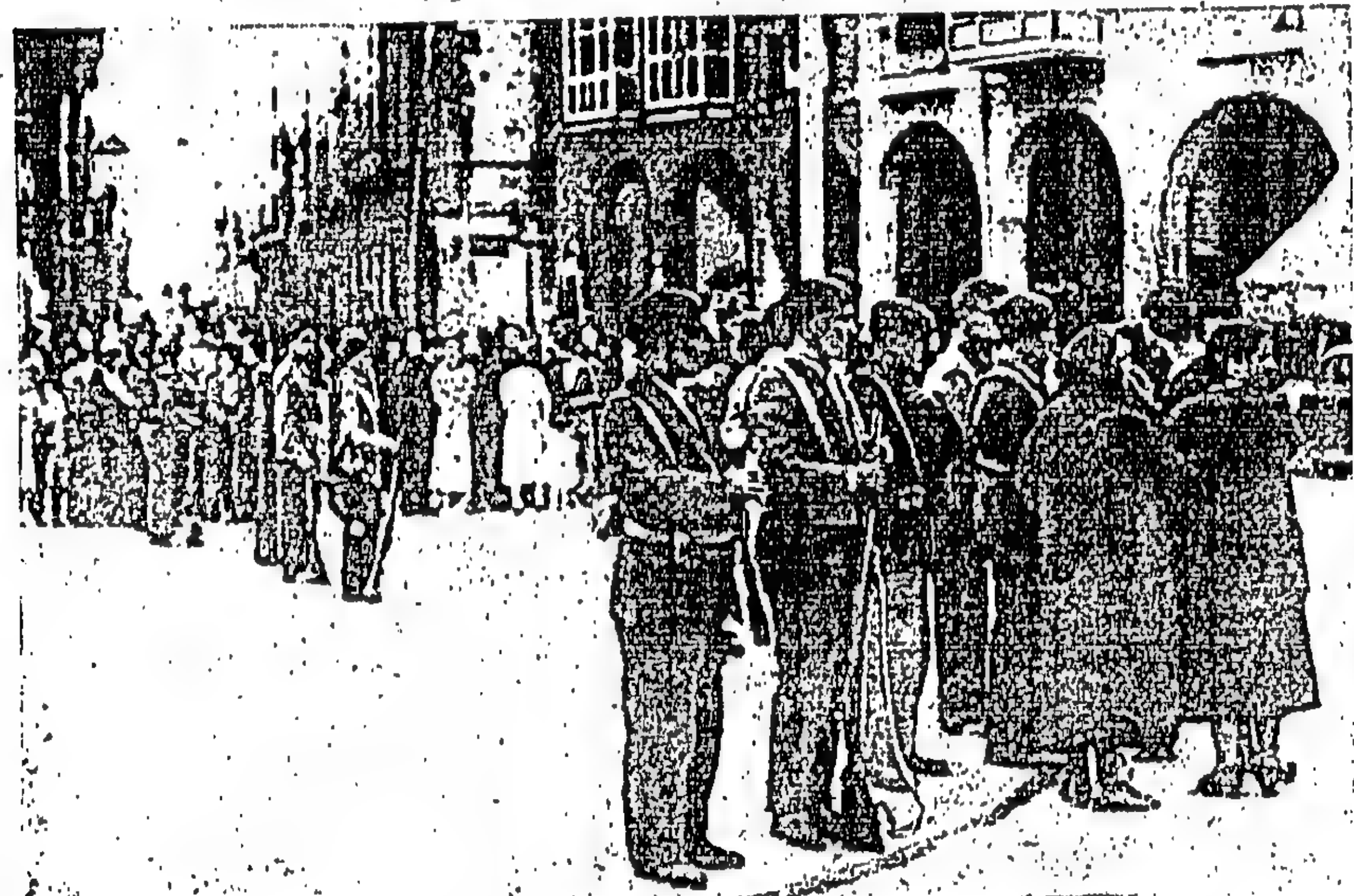
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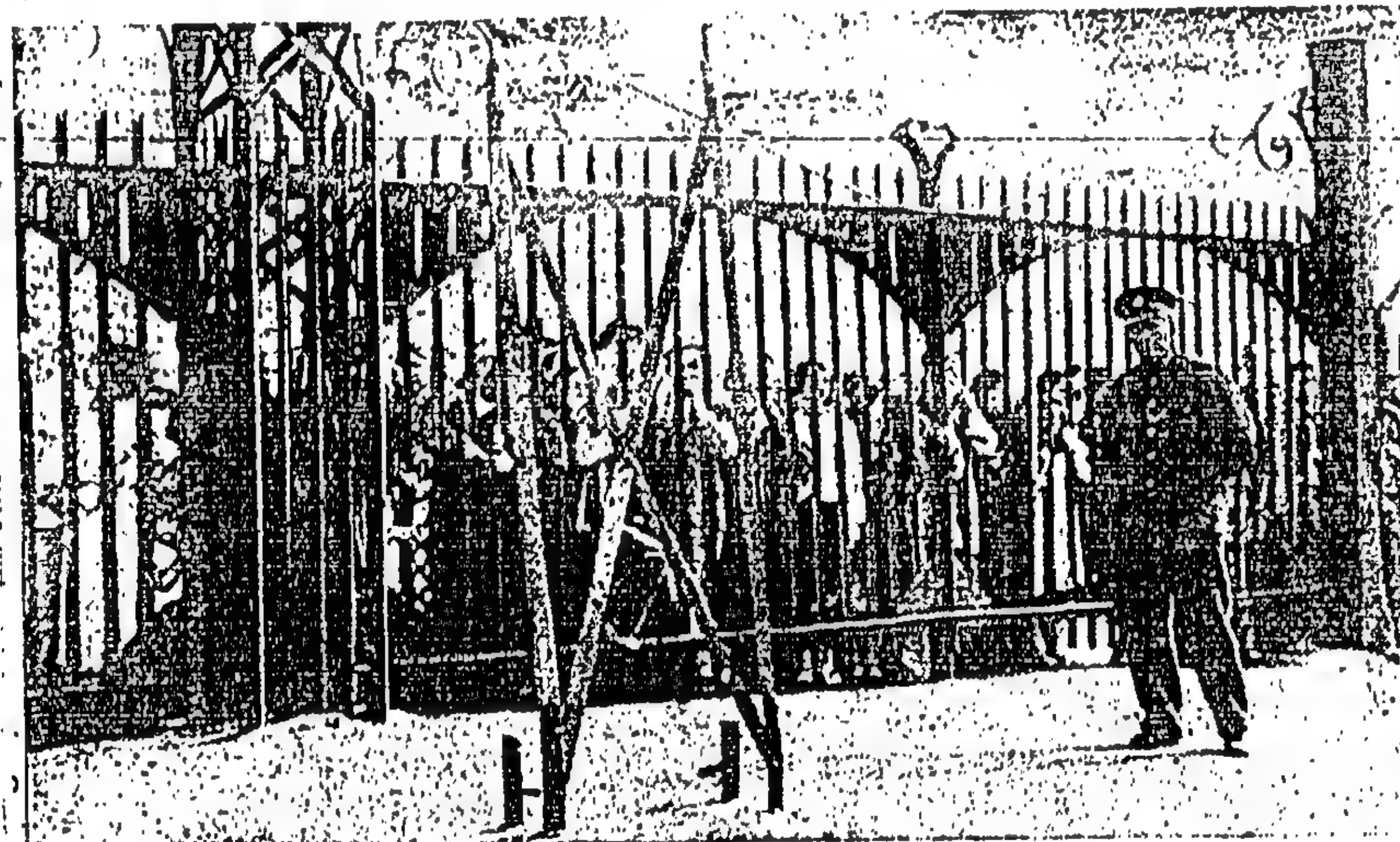
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A swimming race in full field equipment was one of the events at an army swimming contest held in Germany a few days ago. The picture shows one of the soldiers just after the race.



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Refugees pressing against the British railings dividing Gibraltar from Spain.



Fascist rebel cavalry parade at Burgos, headquarters of General Mola, ready to march on Madrid.

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A little toast to better understanding 'between America and Japan' was offered by Admiral Zengo Yoshida, commanding the Imperial Japanese Training Squadron, when he received Rear Adm. E. H. Campbell, commandant of the 12th Naval District, at San Francisco. The squadron, carrying naval cadets as well as officers and crew, will also visit Los Angeles and New York.

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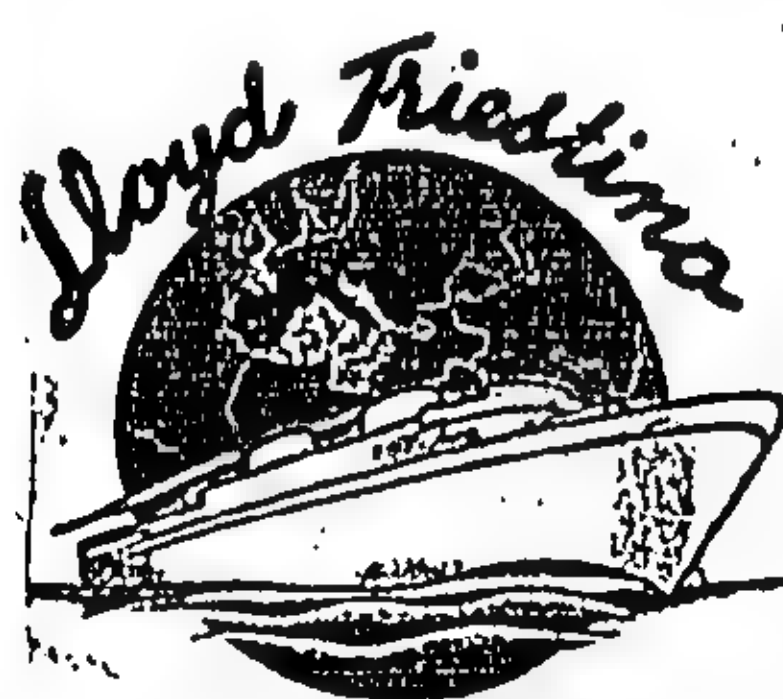
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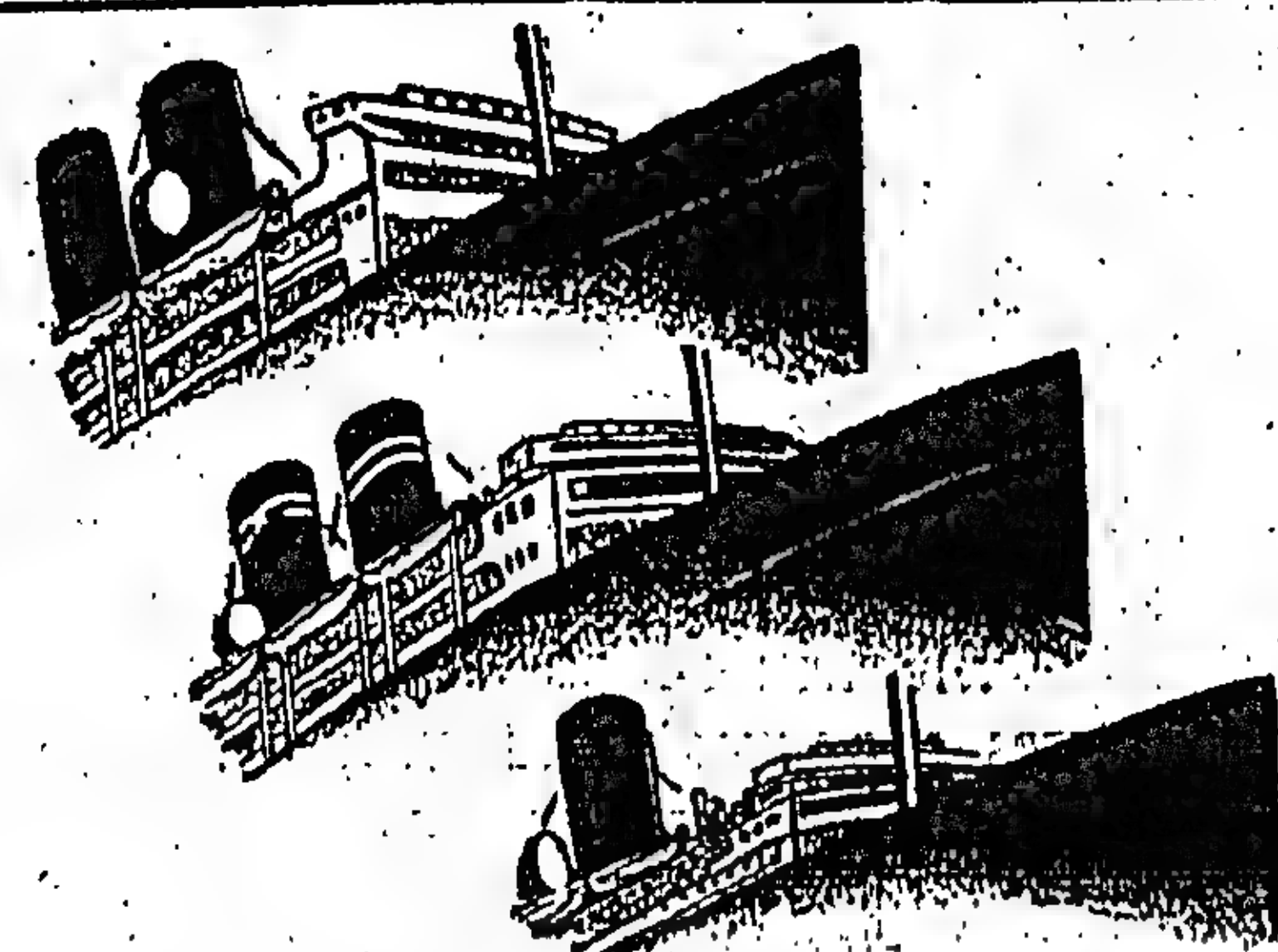
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A LEAKING tap is like a guilty conscience. Its voice oppresses you while you are in the house, the thought of the waste of water torments the mind while you are away.

In nine cases out of ten the trouble is that the washer has gone, and the water continues to drip out of the tap when the handle is screwed right down. It is no use screwing the tap down as far as it will go and thinking it will right itself. A leaking tap always gets worse. The greatest wear on washers is caused by screwing taps too tightly. They should always be screwed gently.

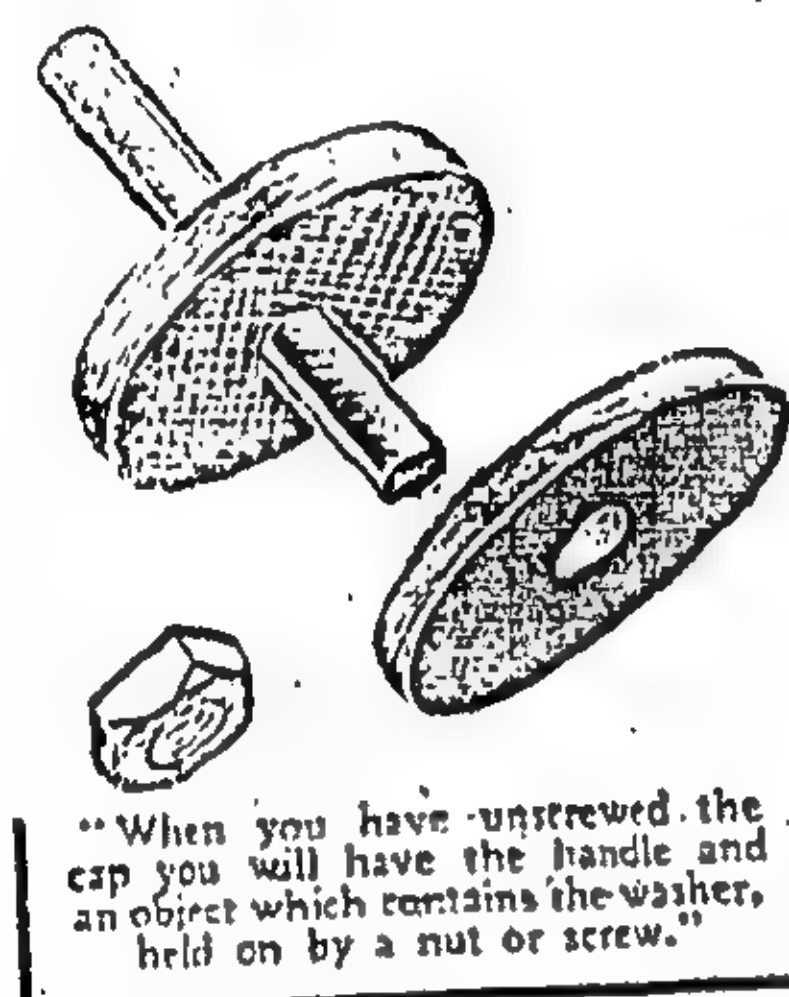
KITCHEN taps go wrong more often than others because they are more constantly used. Most kitchen taps are what are called in the plumbing world "plain bibcocks." They work on a similar system, and I am going to tell you how to mend them. On no account try pulling to pieces gland plug taps or spring taps. You can tell at once what sort of tap you have by its appearance. If the tap which you are troubled with has no resemblance to the one in the illustration, do not try to mend it; send for a plumber. Plain bibcocks are sometimes covered up with chromium shields, which unscrew easily.

FIRST you must notice whether it is a hot tap or a cold tap that is defective, for the treatment varies with the water system.

Cold taps are mostly supplied from the main water supply, especially in towns. This means that the cold water does not go into a tank, as the hot water does, but comes straight from the main in the street.

Somewhere in your house there will be a stop cock, that is to say, a tap without a spout, which when screwed down, cuts off the supply of cold water to your house. You must find this and screw it down. It is generally in a fairly obvious position where the water pipes enter your house. Sometimes it is in a hole in the ground and is worked with a key.

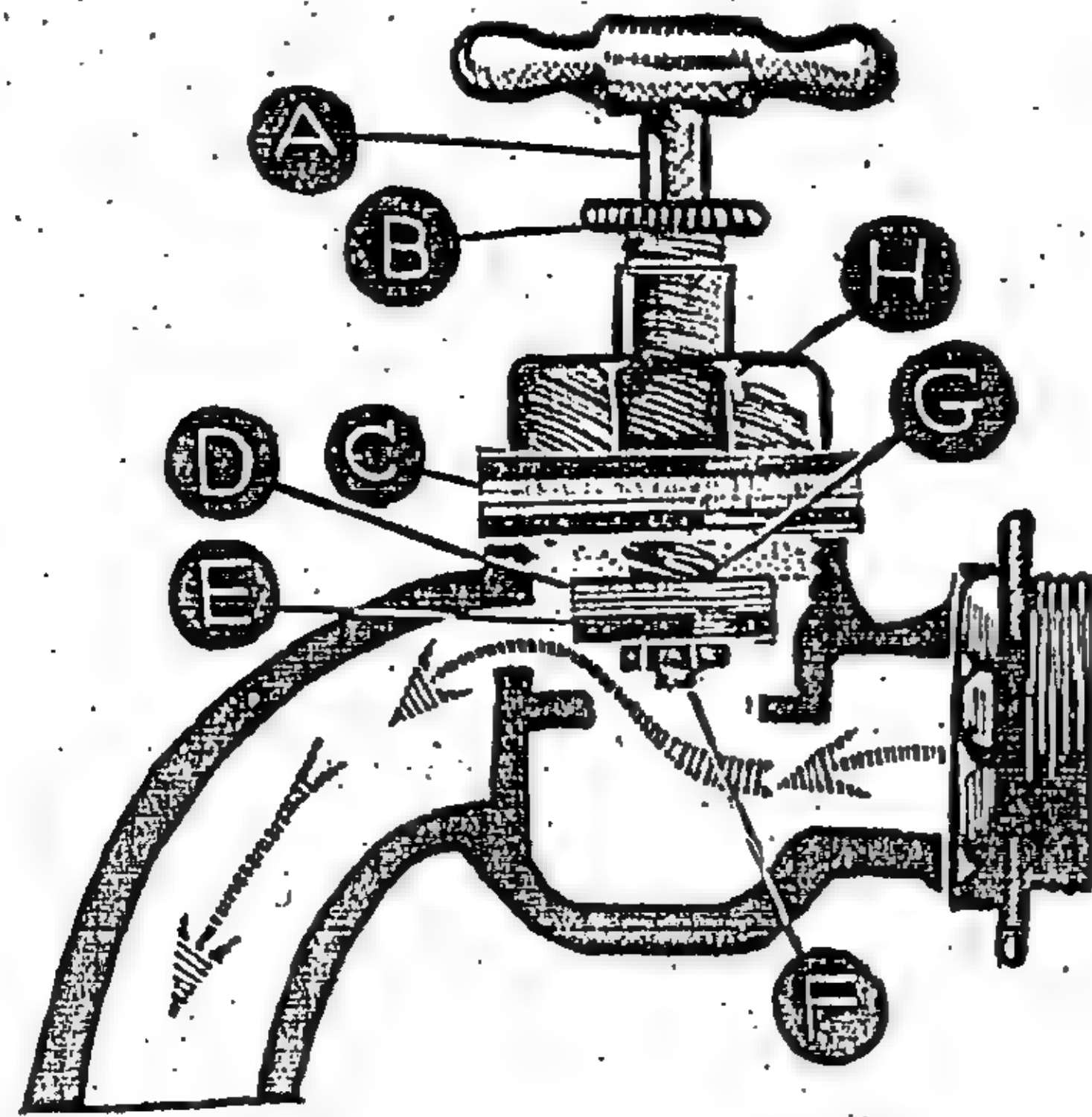
When you have turned off the water, turn on the leaking tap full until there is no water left in the pipes.



Now you can start fiddling about with the tap. And here you must know how a tap works. The illustration makes it far clearer than any words of mine. You will see that when the tap is screwed down on the opening no water can well through and out at the spout unless the washer is leaking.

If you screw down the washer too hard on the opening, you may either break the washer or break the jumper.

LET'S set to work to mend the tap. With an adjustable spanner unscrew the cap. Do not confuse the cap with the gland ring. The gland ring is the first screwable thing below the handle, the tap is the second. The cap will probably unscrew in an opposite direction to the handle.



of the tap—that is to say, to the left. Test it gently and see. When you have unscrewed this you will have in your hand the handle of the tap and an object at the end of it (see illustration on the left) which contains the washer, which is held on by a little nut or possibly, a screw. Undo the nut or screw with a pair of pliers and you will find the washer probably perished or split or torn away.

Remove this and substitute a new washer. Washers are made in two sizes, 1/4 in. and 1/2 in. for large or small taps. Washers cost a penny each from any ironmonger.

When you have fixed the washer of the right size screw up the nut or screw which keeps it in place tightly.

IT is possible, if the tap has been screwed down too hard, that the whole jumper has broken; for instance, the pin may have snapped which holds the washer, and the nut or screw will have disappeared down the pipe with the water.

A new jumper, obtainable at an ironmonger, should cost about sixpence. You may now have a certain amount of difficulty in keeping the jumper in the socket of the spindle while you are screwing on the cap again.

Rub some soap on the end of the jumper which enters the spindle and it will keep in position. Do not forget when you screw on the cap to put back the leather cap washer.

WHEN you want to repair a hot water tap the procedure is the same as I have described; only you must remember to use a composition washer. But the first step, that of turning off the water at the stopcock, is different.

You will probably find the stopcock of the hot water system is put in front of the tank, so that you have to turn the hot water taps full on and empty the tank before you can set to work to repair the washer.

WASHERS are not the only things which can go wrong in a tap. Sometimes whenever you turn on the water it wells up under the handle, and seems to be pouring out at all places except the spout.

This means that the gland packing has worn out. Do not despair, you will not have to empty the hot water tank or hunt about for a stopcock. Just turn off the tap and follow me.

You will remember in the beginning of this article that I mentioned the gland ring, which is the first screwable looking object under the handle of the usual sort of tap.

Unscrew this as far as it will go.

You will find that when unscrewed it will reveal a cavity all round the stem of the tap. This cavity should be filled with either asbestos, gra-

TAP:

- A. Stem.
- B. Gland Ring.
- C. Cap Washer.
- D. Jumper.
- E. Washer.
- F. Jumper Nut.
- G. Spindle.
- H. Cap.

phite twist, or oily, coarse-looking string. If your tap is giving trouble this twist will be in an emaciated state. Pick it all out with a piece of wire or a bradawl.

YOU can buy special twist for the glands of taps or you can make your own by soaking coarse string, or even that thread people use for darning, in motor grease, lard, or tallow. Now wind it round the spindle of the tap and poke it down with a bradawl or piece of wire that will not bend too easily, until the cavity is full. Screw on the gland ring. Do not pack the cavity too tightly.

John Betjeman

• Cut this article out. It will be useful for reference if YOUR tap starts dripping.

Intestinal Troubles In Hot Weather.

Food and drinks become so rapidly tainted that stomach and intestinal troubles are to be expected in summer. In any case the heat lowers the vitality, reduces appetite and interferes with the digestion so that precautions are necessary. In order to be fit you must keep stomach and bowels clear and clean. The occasional dose of Pinkettes will do this for you pleasantly and naturally. Pinkettes remove any harmful substances eaten before they have time to do harm. As a general all round health-safeguard during the hotter months you cannot use anything finer than Pinkettes. All chemists can supply you.

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ROUND ABOUT by The Showman

THERE are two ways of treating the announcement that motor-car radio is certain to leap into popularity.

One is the purely frivolous, as used by your philosopher—"Is this Progress? What is Progress? Does it betray a mass-disinclination-for-thought neurosis as evidenced by the distraction-demand?" The other is the purely scientific, as used by your Showman who observes facts and deduces therefrom, as follows:—

Goompy Again

WELL, it was in my Abbot's Shorting days when my daughter Goompy used to help me in smithy by noddling ho-horses when I wanted 'em to change legs while I was shoeing 'em. And a champion noddler she was. Honest, she really was. One day one of they Lunion fellows left his car outside smithy with radio turned on, and Goompy was in a proper ma-aze. "Eh, wirra, wirra!" she said. "Eh, lulla me, lulla deet Feyther, is it the weyther, or be I at the end of my tether? What makes that voice?"

Please Read On

WELL, the fellow happens along first then, and tells Goompy 'he noddin' ra-a-a-dio. "This girl mawleyrummet!" she giggles. "Makin' fun of a simple mortal like Oi! 'Tis thees ventriloquidist!" And with that Goompy gave him a playful noddle in the ribs. Down he went loike a wabbling puddock—completely unconscious. I assure you. But the voice went on. And Goompy laughed, and laughed and laughed. "Feyther!" she gasped. "He were right! 'Tis ra-a-a-dio! We maun buy yit!" And so we did, and took it in whee-l-barrer.

This prover, you see, that demonstration is a bit sales.

SONG FOR WIVES

An expert prophesies a time "when baldness will be quite unknown, and men will keep their hair until the end of their lives." Meanwhile—
I married him at twenty or maybe twenty-four;
Of hair he had a plenty.
And whiskers, too, at last;
I loved him, I loved him, and who shall dare
To blame me for loving his handsome hair!

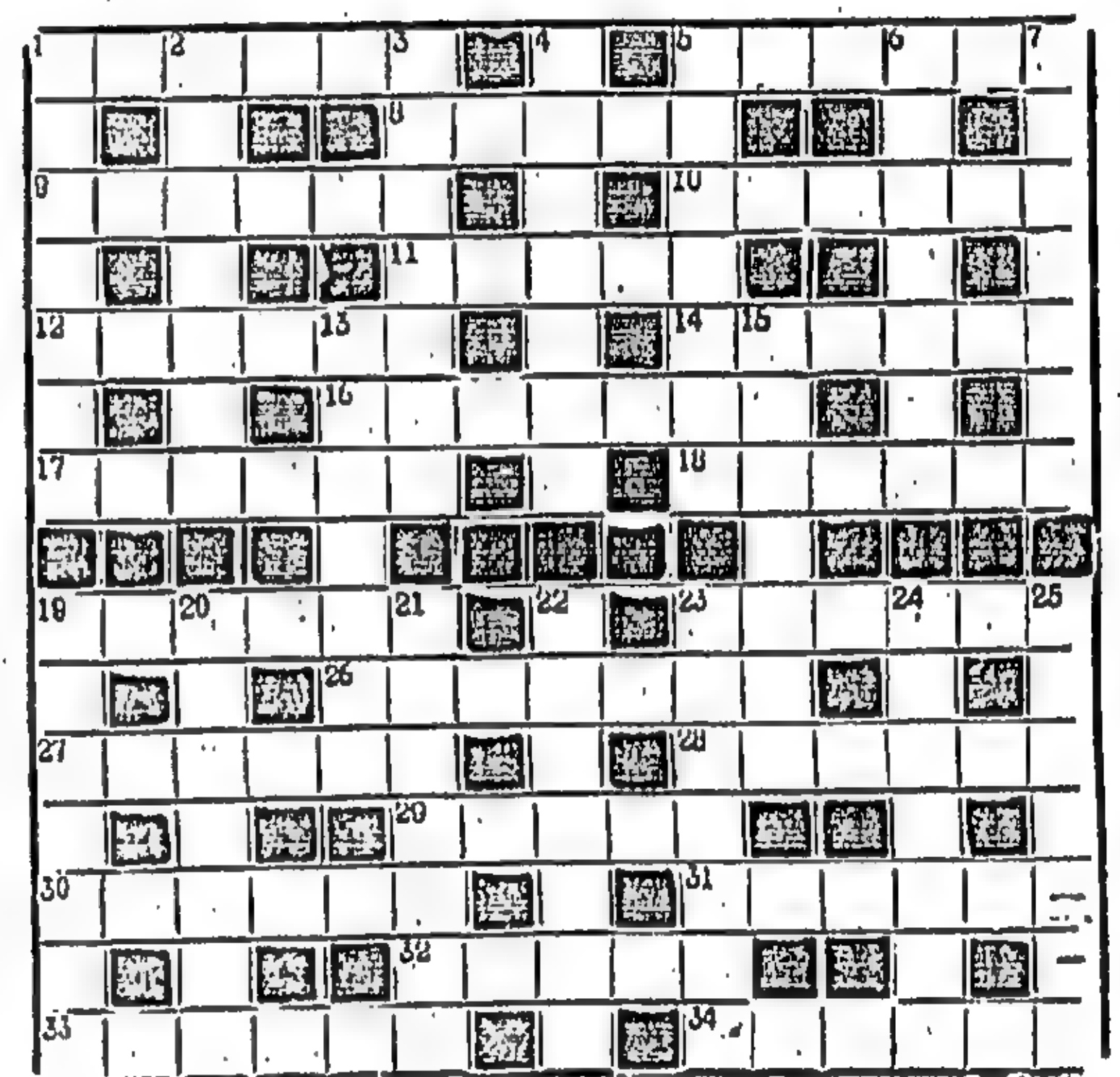
His hair has now been banished
By Time's relentless touch;
But I don't mourn the vanished,
I love him just as much.
I love him, I love him, and who shall
Cull me foolish for loving my Billard Ball!

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ACROSS

- 1 A humorist hides a row while going through shallow water.
- 5 More than dislike.
- 6 You are looking at to-day's.
- 9 What a singer might do if upset.
- 10 Hay is, and so is an ear-trumpet.
- 11 Standard measure.
- 12 For a smoker it's all right between a couple of exclamations.
- 14 About a game of golf.
- 16 Ruin an entrance for resort.
- 17 No enthusiastic description of the spiritualist.
- 18 Useful for the conjuror and recognizable in levers.
- 19 With a reddish coating, I and many more are suitable for the country.
- 23 Barbarian.
- 26 They are born in the country. Gracious, is it much better than?
- 27 A sorter appears to have recourse to a holiday spot.
- 28 The road-hog doesn't except when he encounters such roads. Disregard.
- 30 My neighbour?
- 31 More than usually.
- 32 Call upon to appear.
- 34 Rather vulgar commotion (Hyphen 4 and 2).

DOWN

- 1 Dorset town tells you what to do with clothes.
- 3 Slough?
- 3 Material to keep out the wet.
- 4 Pour oil on the waters.

- 5 Overthrows and what they may have caused at cricket.
- 6 Rubbing out.
- 7 Might be altered after it has been.
- 13 Possibly killing!
- 15 The time-server obtains it eventually.
- 16 The white variety are mentioned very early next month.
- 20 Word for word.
- 21 One that opens with a confession of inability or the opposite.
- 22 Form of ragtime.
- 23 Not a flattering report (Two words 4 and 3).
- 24 Rough to be always inside in such dry weather.
- 25 Blurt out (Two words 3 and 4).

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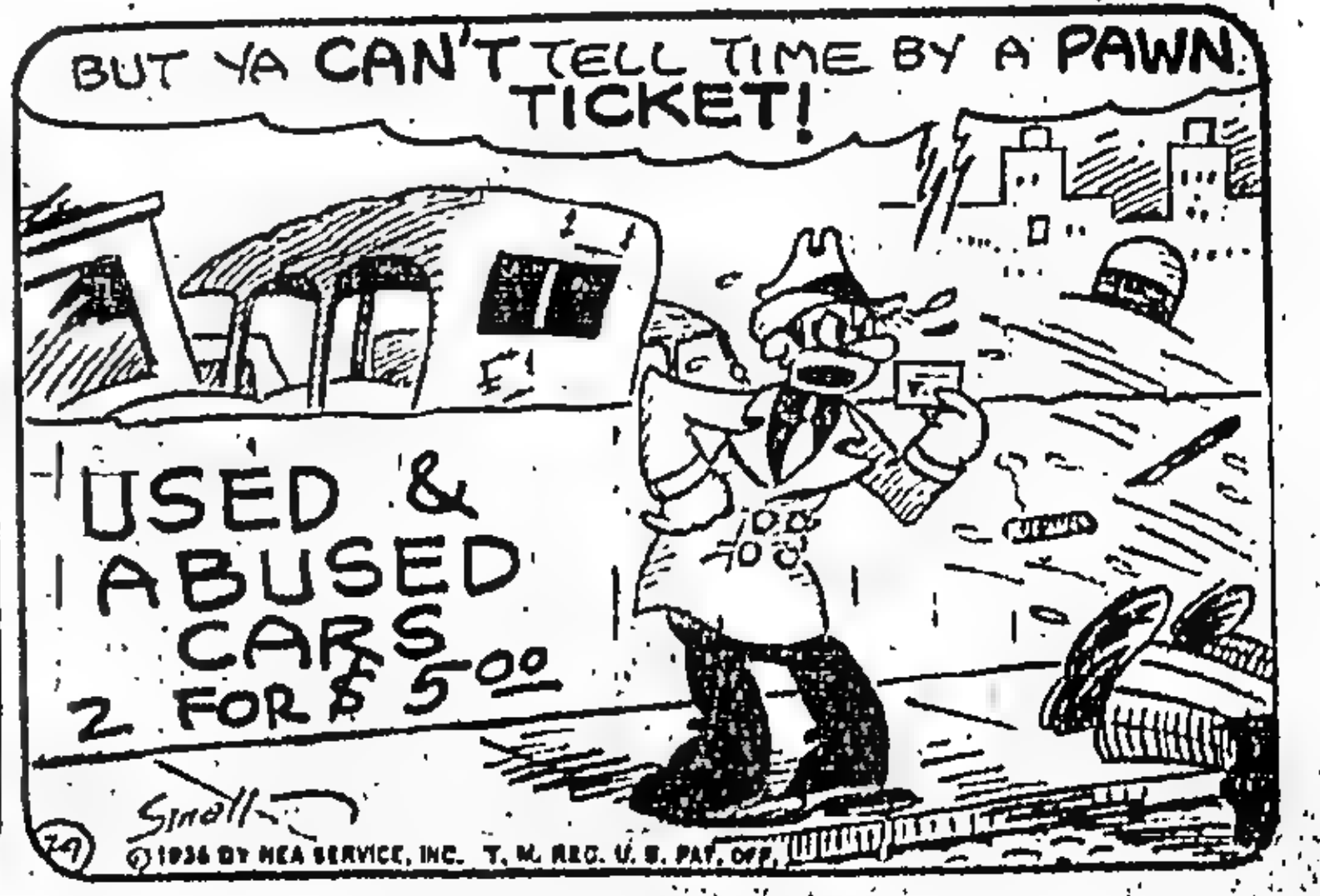
Housewives—do you know

1. What to do with a burned saucepan?
2. Which is the basis sauce for several other sauces? Suggest some variations.
3. How can you ensure that sliced apples and bananas for a fruit salad will not turn brown?
4. You'll like your table linen only moderately stiff. If you wash it at home, what do you do?

Answers:

1. Boil salt and water in it, then rub the burned spots with a dish-cloth dipped in salt. Now wash in the usual way.
2. A white sauce. First melt a large knob of butter in your saucepan, gradually stir in three-quarters of an ounce of flour, and add a pint of hot milk or stock by degrees. Season and stir over the fire until it boils, then allow it to simmer for ten minutes or more. Given the suitable additions, this sauce may be turned into a mushroom, parsley, shrimp, egg, anchovy or caper sauce.
3. As soon as you have peeled and sliced the fruit, sprinkle the slices with lemon juice. This will keep them white, and, if sugar is also added, will improve the flavour of the salad.
4. You will find that rice water makes an excellent light starch for anything which you require only moderately stiff.

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PARIS TAKES BACK SEAT

(By-GRACE WILSON)

ALL the world is copying the clothes of the Englishwoman. New standards of dress have switched the world fashion centre from Paris to London—and British dress material manufacturers are recording a continued increase in their business.

Last year Britain exported £1,070,000 worth of women's skirts, coats, and dresses—a considerable advance on the year before.

One West Riding manufacturer of worsted costumes cloths has seen his business increase by 300 per cent. in the last year.

Women in all parts of the world are falling in love with the more severe and sensible British styles, as opposed to floral frills, and Paris is being forced to take a back seat.

That was why £77,000 worth of British knitted wear was ordered overseas last year.

America Wants Our Styles

British imported clothes are a luxury in the United States, but this has not stopped the craze among American women to dress "just as the British do."

American retail stores are now sending their buyers to visit London before the Paris displays. They return to America with British models which are copied over and over again.

A representative selection of dresses made by leading British designers has just been taken over to the United States on the Queen Mary by the British fashion group—and New York's most fashionable women have crowded the dress show ever since.

Empire markets are also occupying the attention of the British dressmakers. One famous firm is sending its latest collection to South Africa at the end of our summer season. The South African dress season begins when ours ends.

Trades Benefit

Visitors to London have returned to praise the plain sleek suits, elegant coats, and close-fitting dresses which British women have made particular of their own.

The textile and ready-made clothing trades have already felt the advantage of this ever-increasing overseas market. Even in the Midlands West of America women are adopting British styles. Comparative figures show that there has been a £40,000 increase in the export of dresses and £20,000 in knitted wear. Plans are now being made to hold periodical exhibitions in the Empire and foreign countries of typically British styles.

MARY ASTOR'S SHOCK FOR HER EX-HUSBAND

"He was Married When I Married Him"

Los Angeles, Aug. 10. MISS MARY ASTOR, the film star, has applied to the court here to set aside the divorce granted her husband, Mr. D. H. F. Thorpe, last year, and to declare her marriage null and void. The grounds of her application are that Mr. Thorpe married her without divorcing another woman. Her affidavit, filed in support of these charges, does not name the other woman, whose existence Miss Astor asserts she only recently discovered. Miss Astor also asks for the sole custody of her four-year-old daughter, Marilyn.—Reuter.

Miss Astor's charges against her husband follow closely on a claim she has filed in court for the possession of her daughter.

In this claim, she charges Mr. Thorpe with having coerced her into permitting him to get the divorce, with custody of the child, by threatening that he would "publicly scandalize her" and ruin her career as an actress.

Miss Astor declared that Marilyn has now reached a "formative age, and needs a mother's constant and continuous companionship, love and attention."

One Under the Eight—& One Over

Paris, Aug. 10. Augustino Fernandez was charged with being drunk and disorderly at Ballouville to-day. He said he was celebrating his birthday.

"Which birthday?" inquired the judge. "You have seven birth certificates, and seem to have been born at various times between 1902 and 1915—at Constantinople, Turin, Bida, Tripoli, Smyrna, Athens and Salonika."

"I take no chances," replied the culprit, "I celebrate them all."

GAS MASKS FOR THE MILLIONS AT HOME



A girl wearing the type of respirator approved for general civilian use in Great Britain. Forty million of these masks are to be made for distribution to the entire civilian population.

Council for Civil Liberties

Simon to be Sent Baton Charge Evidence

ANOTHER attempt is to be made to get the Home Secretary to hold an inquiry into the allegations of brutality made against the police following a baton charge in Thurloe Square, W., on March 22.

The National Council for Civil Liberties has, in Friends House, concluded its investigation into the affair and will now consider its report.

Statements of the various witnesses, the chairman (Prof. Bentwick) said, will be sent to Sir John Simon in the hope that he will belatedly hold an inquiry.

A further invitation to the Commissioner of Police to send witnesses or an observer to the inquiry received only formal acknowledgment.

On the night of the charge a Fascist meeting was being held in the Albert Hall, half a mile away.

Witness recently described to the commission what they saw in Thurloe Square. One said that when the police charged they hit out at everyone they could see.

"MISINFORMED"

Another witness, who said that he was batoned on the head and knocked unconscious, declared that the police made extremely vituperative remarks, and that he saw one mounted policeman chasing a man, and shouting, "I'll get you, you—"

Evidence was also given that a foot policeman seized an elderly woman and held her against some railings.

Referring to a statement by the Home Secretary in the Commons that stones and mud were thrown at the police, the chairman asked one witness if he had seen anything of that sort.

"There was nothing there to throw," was the reply, and in further answer to the chairman said he thought the Home Secretary was misinformed.

A man who declared he was not a police witness said he did not stay for the meeting.

He told the Commission that he spoke to a number of people who told him that they had gone there with the intention of entering the Albert Hall and breaking up the meeting.

"As far as I saw anything of the police, they were very courteous and considerate," he said.

Members of the Commission, in addition to the chairman, were: Mr. Harrison Harrow, Professor F. M. Cornford, Miss Eleanor Rathbone, M.P., and Mr. J. D. Priestley.

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Finally, when all the oxygen has been removed, the iron is again heated in a vacuum to remove any hydrogen which it has dissolved during the previous process.

Under laboratory conditions, a price of 5s. a gram represents as near an estimate as possible of the cost, in time and trouble, of making pure iron. The present price of gold is about 4s. 10d. a gram.

On the other hand, it is pointed out that if there were ever any serious commercial demand for pure iron, it could be made very much more cheaply, in spite of its extreme initial softness, it can be easily hardened by rolling.

RANCHER-EARL WANTS TO LIVE IN LONDON

Switzerland's "First Seaport"

Basle, Aug. 5. Switzerland's first "seaport" was officially inaugurated here by the arrival from London of the 500-ton freighter Bernina—the first merchant vessel from overseas to enter Swiss waters. The Bernina is also the first Swiss-owned merchant vessel to sail the seas.

With her sister ship the Alpina, she will maintain a service between Basle and London and Gothenburg, via the Rhine and the North Sea.

Basle, the terminal for river traffic on the Rhine, has become one of the most important inland harbours of the world.

Plans are before the Swiss Government for the development of a similar port at Geneva.

Cothes To Fit Our Characters

You will be interested to learn that English tailors cut cloth not only according to their patrons' figures but also to their characters.

The authority for the statement is the London correspondent of a Berlin paper.

He is brave, this reporter of fashions.

He dares to say that: Green hats, goloshes and straw hats are just not worn, that they are beyond the pale, and sported only by cad and dandies, or—in the case of goloshes—only by "relics of the last century."

He also insists that there is a distinct falling-off in the wearing of plus fours.

Despite all this, England, he says, still leads the world in men's fashions.

BRIGHTER STREETS The editor of the "Tallor and Cutter" had these comments to make: "Most men seem to own a green hat and it certainly brightens the streets. Naturally, care must be taken with what suits it is worn."

"As for the straw hat—well, so much depends on the weather. And few people wear goloshes nowadays."

The point about the green hat ranks. It's the commonest colour for handgear in Germany, anyway.

Triplet Girls After Triplet Boys

Berlin, Aug. 10. The wife of Dr. Fritz Witten, a medical man in Stroebeck, near Halberstadt, who had already presented her husband with triplets (all boys), has now again had triplets. This time all three are girls.—Exchange.

Such Fun (AND SUCH BEER) In The Old Country

(By A Special Correspondent) Calgary (Alberta), Aug. 15.

The twenty-two-year-old Earl of Egmont chewed a matchstick as he talked to me to-day.

A two-day growth of beard stubbled his chin. He wore a wide-brimmed sombrero.

I had driven out to his ranch to ask him if he intends returning to England—found him loading a truck with timber.

The answer to my question—"Yes"—was supplied by the countess, formerly Miss Ann Geraldine Moodie, his cousin.

"I'm going to get Freddie to England next year," she said, "even if I've got to hodge him."

She told me this as her husband disappeared kitchenwards in search of drinks.

Lady Egmont went on: "Freddie wanted to go to England immediately after we married, but I was afraid of the ocean crossing."

"Now I am anxious to be there for the Coronation, and for a visit to our English home."

A BATTLE He wants to sell up in Canada before we go to England, but I do not want him to do that. So we're having a battle.

At this moment the countess's sister, Miss Moodie, entered with a tray holding bottles of beer and tumblers.

The rancher-earl followed her—with another tray.

Lady Egmont, confided to me: "Freddie loves beer since he visited England. He drinks it at every meal—even with breakfast."

Lord Egmont interposed: "Yes, but it isn't like the beer in the old country. There's no strength in it."

He proudly displayed the silver tray he had carried in.

"I brought this from the ancestral home," he said. "See, there's a crest on it. It must be a hundred years old."

Lady Egmont said to me: "Ever since Freddie came back from England he has been dissatisfied with Canada."

Her husband said: "Well, you can have fun in the old country."

The countess replied: "O.K. We'll go after Christmas, but I won't have you selling up in Canada."

THE NEXT EARL "I want little Freddie, our two-year-old son, to be educated in England," she explained. "He will have to carry on his father's title one day and I want him fitted for it."

"Yes," she said. "We shall come to England next year, but we shall be very secretive about it."

Heroic History for Aryans

Munich, Aug. 12. History teaching in colleges and universities in South Germany is to be revolutionised "in order to make the student useful to the State."

Bavaria's recently-formed Ministry of Culture orders that "instruction" be confined to a grand historical outline, and all past events made useful to the present situation of our nation.

"The formation of our 100,000,000-German people, both inside and outside the Reich boundaries, must be made clear to the student."

"Emphasis must be laid on the Teutonic spirit, race, the Fuehrer-idea, and defence, in order to build up a heroic philosophy."—Reuter.

Miss Sheila MacDonald Turns Tutor

MISS SHEILA MACDONALD, twenty-five-year-old daughter of Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, has sailed for St. Vincent, West Indies, to become a tutor.

Miss Isabel MacDonald, licensee of the Plough Inn, Flowers Bottom, near Speen, Bucks, said at her father's Hampstead home:

"Sheila goes as tutor to the two daughters, aged fourteen and sixteen, of Mr. Arthur Albion Wright, Administrator of the Colony, and Mrs. Wright."

"She first met their parents in Fiji. Mr. Wright was Secretary for Native Affairs there."

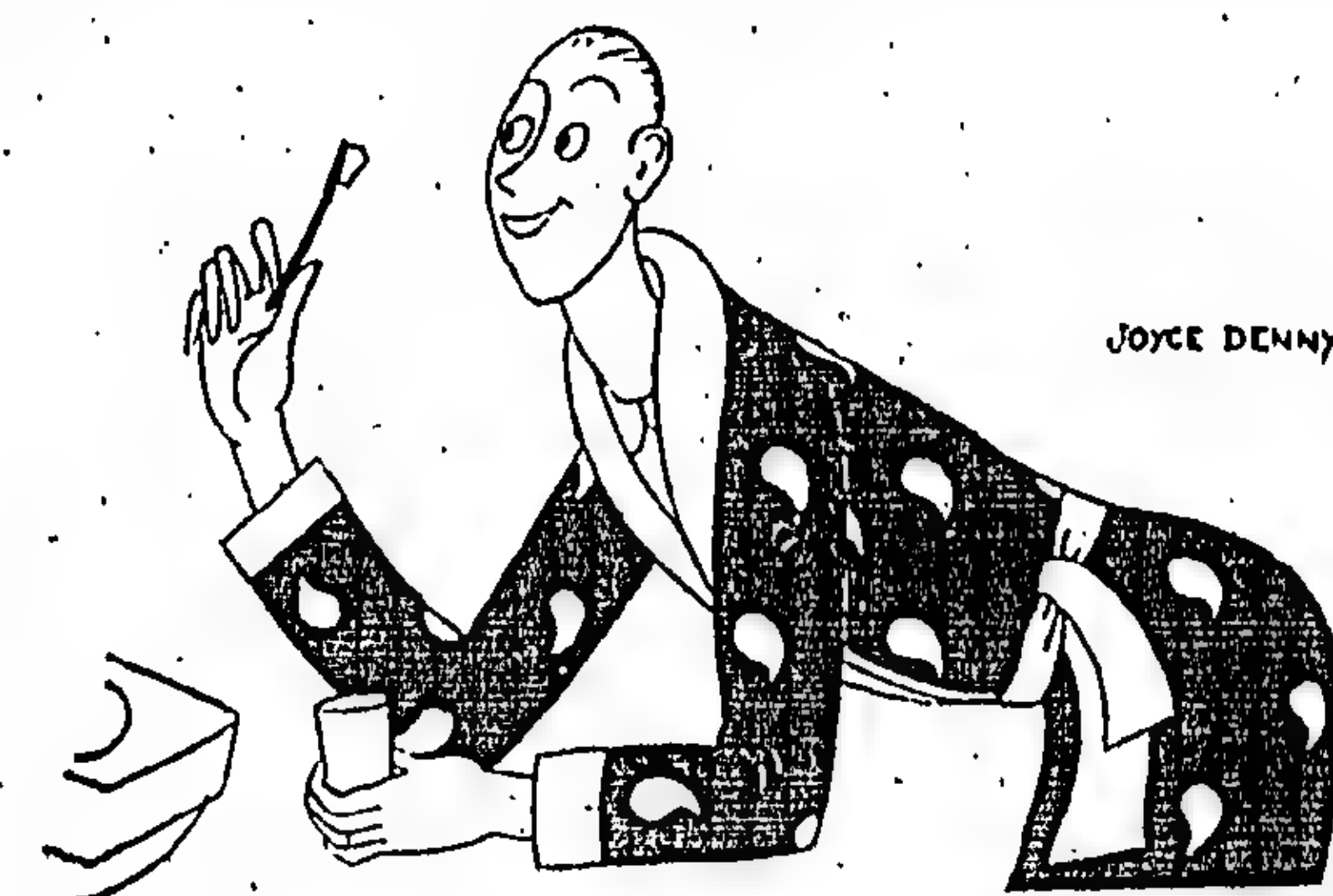
FIXING FRONTIERS OF ABYSSINIA WORK ON KENYA BORDER

Rome, Aug. 17. An Italian column under General Gelluso is reported to have completed a survey and occupation of the southern regions of Abyssinia, along the Kenya frontier.

Entering the Galla Sidamo Province, the column set up a local government at Dawa Parma, and then moved eastwards along the northern edge of the Kenya borderland. Moving inland, the Italians occupied Mega, a town of strategic importance in the Boran, controlling the traffic routes between Kenya and the lake district. South of that, at the frontier station of Moyale, contact was made with the British outpost.

"Having exactly fixed the territorial and traffic demarcation lines between Ethiopia and the British possession," General Gelluso has turned north to enter the Lake Margarita territory and has already reached Javello.

Another Italian column is operating in eastern Abyssinia and is endeavouring to clear up the ranges which flank the Addis Ababa-Jibuti railway.



JOYCE DENNIS

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The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended August 28, 1915.

The rate of the dollar on demand was 14.97/16d.

Hongkong donations to the Kwangtung Flood Relief Fund totalled \$490.547 to date.

The Douglas Steamship Co., Ltd., declared a dividend of nine per cent.

Lady May opened a fund for the raising of money from the women of Hongkong for the purchase of a motor ambulance for service at the Front.

THE HONG KONG TELEGRAPH

SIXTH ANNUAL

Amateur Photographic Competition

Details have been unavoidably crowded out of this edition but the list of sections, rules and Entry Form are printed below.

SECTIONS:—

SECTION 1
Story-Telling
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- The decision of the Judges shall be final.

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DATE
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE MARKET IRREGULAR YESTERDAY

New York, Aug. 20. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones summary of yesterday's market:—The market to-day was dull and irregular, with the majority of issues registering declines. Dealings, however, became lighter on the decline, but some support appeared before the close of the session. Business reports continued favourable and there is nothing in the news that would adversely affect the market, which requires some unusual stimulus to shake off the lethargy. Steel, copper, silver and railroad stocks declined. Rubber shares advanced, led by Goodrich issues. The market for bonds was mixed, whilst stocks on the Curb Exchange were irregularly lower.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks. The market was irregular, but it maintained a firm tone. The Corn Products Refining Company has advanced the bulk of its prices by 20 cents and packaged goods by 10 cents per hundredweight.

Cotton: It is rumoured that two prominent cotton authorities have reduced their estimate of the crop by 600,000 bales in comparison with the last report issued by these authorities. This is due to the fact that there have been no rains in the South-West.

Wheat: The mill and foreign market are easier. Active ploughing is reported in the South-West, in spite of the dryness. Snow & Company estimate the Canadian wheat crop at 225,000,000 bushels.

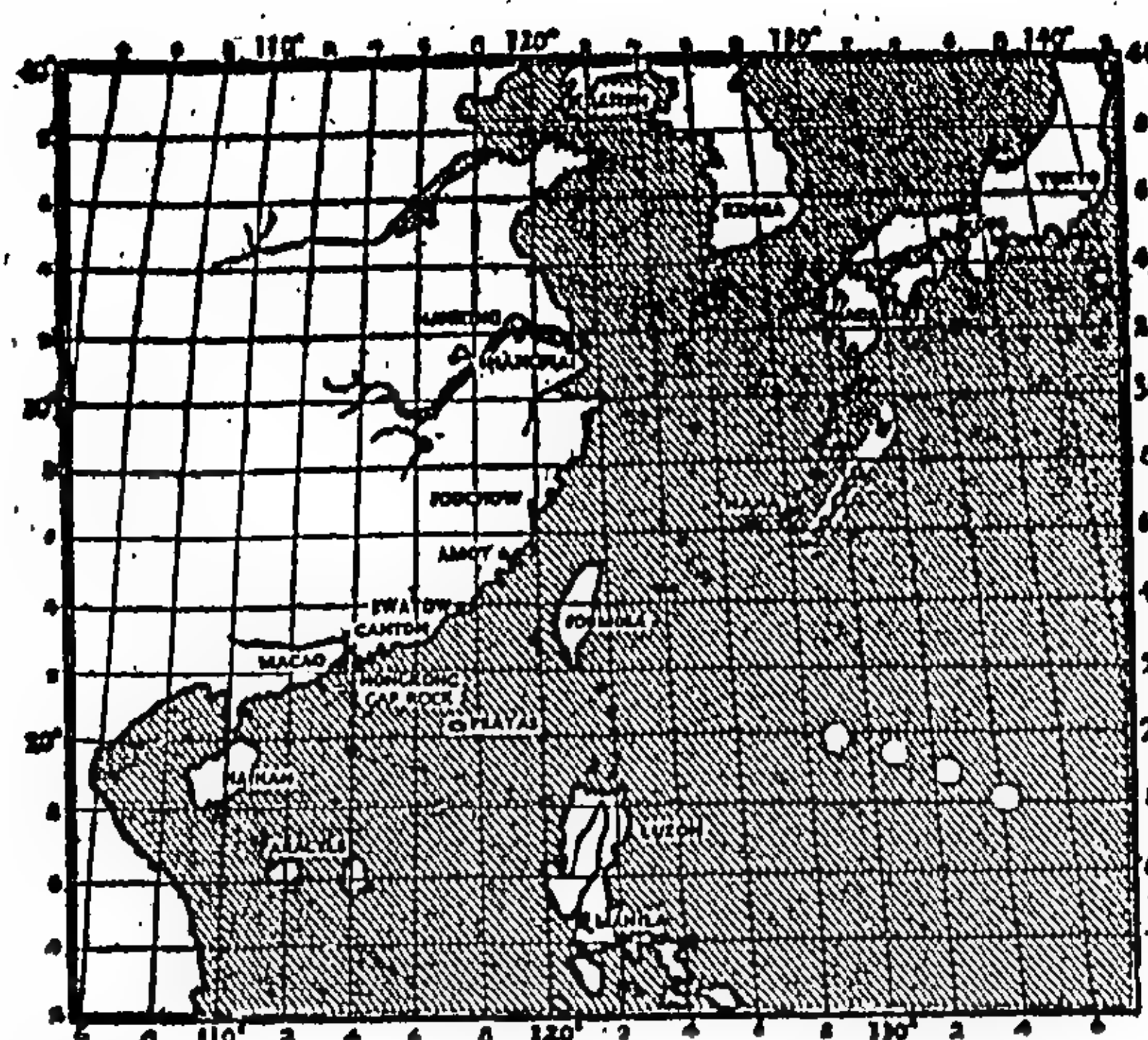
Corn: Rains in the East and scattered showers in the West may not help corn materially, but the feed crops should derive some benefit. Cash demand is less urgent and there is more talk of the probability of large Argentine imports. Sentiment is more bullish and sellers are cautious, due to the underlying strength of the cash position.

S. C. & F. Wall Street Journal morning comment:—"Some brokers are still strongly bullish in railroad stocks. Brokers' news that to-day witnessed some European buying here for the first time in the last couple of weeks. Investors are buying preferred issues of steel securities. The July railroad earnings' statements are expected to stimulate an advance in rails. The entire steel outlook is satisfactory, possibly with the exception of the labour situation."

REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Averages: Aug. 19, Aug. 20.
30 Industrials 166.04 165.59
20 Rails 4.07 3.63
20 Utilities 34.77 34.54
40 Bonds 103.84 103.83
11 Commodity Index 67.60 68.30

TRACK OF LATEST TYPHOON



The Manila Observatory reports at 8.40 a.m. to-day that the typhoon is situated in about 12° Long., 20 Lat., moving W.N.W. White dots show the track.

CINEMA NOTES

A new star team of irresistible lovers tops the film horizon as George Raft and Rosalind Russell step out arm-in-arm together in the grand new 20th Century comedy romance, "It Had to Happen," coming to the King's Theatre. With Raft playing the part of an irresistible lover, and Miss Russell a lady who thought she was too ritzy for romance, "It Had to Happen" is a pulse-pounding romance of two people who found the world well-lost for love. In its unconventional style, this picture, adapted from the Rupert Hughes story, throws the stars together as they are nearing New York on a ship. Miss Russell is a slick and lovely heiress to many millions, and Raft is a poor immigrant lad coming to the land of promise with his friend Leo Carrillo; just about as far apart as any two people can be. From his first glimpse of this lovely vision, Raft knows just what it is America holds for him. So with courage and skill and honesty he emerges in three years as the political lord of a big city. There have been a number of women who have welcomed his love, but all the while he keeps the vision of the glamorous distant beauty. Then things play into his hands. Miss Russell's husband, Alan Dinehart, is involved in a fraudulent deal in a big bank, now threatened with collapse. He offers Raft a bribe to get him out of the jam, but Raft refuses the money and forces Dinehart to make restitution to the bank. With an increasing distaste for the cowardly behaviour of Dinehart on one hand, and a growing love for the tempestuous Raft on the other, Miss Russell wavers. And Carrillo views the whole business with a humorous disbelief. But it is in the gripping surprise climax, when Raft himself is threatened with destruction by his political enemies, that Miss Russell shows her true colours and comes through for the man who was masterful enough to win her heart. Roy Del Ruth, who brought the picture, "Thanks a Million" to the screen, directed the production of "It Had to Happen" under the personal supervision of Darryl F. Zanuck. Prominent in the supporting cast are Arline Judge, Andrew Tombes and Arthur Hohl.

"The Case Against Mrs. Ames"

Two of the most drama-packed situations which can enter any woman's life engulf Madeleine Carroll, sensational English actress, in the title role of Walter Wanger's "The Case Against Mrs. Ames," her first American picture. In the film, opening to-day at the Star Theatre, Mrs. Ames is first charged with the murder of her husband, then faced with loss of her only child through a court action. Miss Carroll appears as the beautiful wife of a California million-

WATER LEVELS STATE OF RIVERS IN KWANGTUNG

The following returns have been issued by the River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province, showing the water levels in English feet at the places of observation named:—

	High	Low	Normal
West River at Wuchow	70.6	2.5	32.2
West River at Shihling	41.0	0	31.3
Nien River at Tienyuen	16.0	0	4.0
North River at Shanghai	27.6	5	19.7
East River at Shanghai	15.5	2.7	1.1

Mr. John R. Morris, Far Eastern manager for the United Press Association, arrived in Canton yesterday by plane from Shanghai. After a few days there he will come to Hongkong.

A dinner dance will be held on the open roof of Repulse Bay Lodge weather permitting—and at Repulse Bay Hotel in the event of bad weather, on Saturday, August 22, at 9 p.m., and the usual tea dance will be held on Sunday, at 5 p.m., at Repulse Bay Hotel.

aire socialite, who is found fatally shot under circumstances which damn her as the murderer. She is brought to trial, defended by Alan Mowbray, a prominent attorney retained for her by one of her most bitter enemies—the wealthy and powerful mother of the slain husband. From the moment of the story's opening, during the sensational court trial, things happen with terrific rapidity. Suddenly realising that her own attorney is seemingly pulling his punches in her defence, Miss Carroll dramatically asks the court to permit her to tell her own story. The trial over, Miss Carroll still stands accused of the murder in the eyes of the nation. Her first ordeal is followed immediately by the second, a court fight by her mother-in-law for custody of her child, "6,000,000 gold baby" who stands to inherit the Ames fortune. Even more bitter and packed with drama than the murder trial, the contest for the son brings startling results. George Brent, co-starred with Miss Carroll, has been her most fiery opponent. He vows that he will "bust the Ames case wide open" and produce new evidence of Miss Carroll's guilt. He tries—and the case is broken wide open in another fashion. An excellent cast of featured players supports the stars in Miss Carroll's first American film. Listed are such names as Arthur Treacher, Alan Baxter, Beulah Bondi, Alan Mowbray, Brenda Fowler, Esther Dale, Edward Brophy, Richard Carle and Scotty Beckett.

POST OFFICE.

PARCEL POST.

A schedule of revised parcel post rates is exhibited in the Parcel Office at the General Post Office. The rates will take effect at once.

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Correspondence will be accepted for transmission by these services. Rates and all particulars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the Post Office. All letters etc. must be marked "By Air Mail."

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

Japan Shanghai and Europe via Siberia (London date, 3rd August)	Asia Maru August 21.
Haiphong	Canton August 21.
Haiphong	G. G. Paul Doumer August 21.
Japan and Shanghai	General Lee August 21.
Shanghai	Gneisenau August 21.
Japan and Shanghai	Kaiser-I-Hind August 21.
Saloon	Pres. Doumer August 21.
Straits	Toba Maru August 21.
Japan	Eokuyo Maru August 22.
Straits	Conte Verde August 22.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kwangtung August 22.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai (Seattle, 1st August)	Pres. Jefferson August 22.
Japan	Montevideo Maru August 23.
Shanghai and Amoy	Taino August 23.
Straits	Achilles August 24.
Manila	Pres. Cleveland August 24.
Calcutta and Straits	Sulung August 24.
Straits	Cremer August 25.
Shanghai	Hector August 25.
Almshill by "Imperial Airways direct Service"—London date 15th August	R.M.A. Dorado August 25.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 8th August)	Emp. of Asia August 27.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 7th August)	Pres. Coolidge August 27.
Amoy	Sirhan August 27.
Straits	Tanaka Maru August 27.
Japan	Tokyo Maru August 27.
Japan and Shanghai	Inkote Maru August 28.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 31st July)	Hanko Maru August 28.
Straits	Pres. Monroe August 28.
Java and Manila	Harna Maru August 29.
Straits and Manila	Tjikrang August 29.
Japan	Agamemnon August 30.
Japan	Nishiki Maru August 30.
Japan	Kamo Maru August 31.
Japan	Tanda August 31.

OUTWARD MAILS

For	Per	Date and Time.
	Friday.	
Foochow via Swatow	Hupei	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Bangkok	Mabella	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Pres. Doumer	Fri., Aug. 21, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hupei	Fri., Aug. 21, 3 p.m.
Manila and Wuchow	Tai Hing	Fri., Aug. 21, 4 p.m.
Manila, "Straits and Europe via Marseilles—Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg"	Gneisenau	Fri., Aug. 21.
	G.F.O. & K.P.O.	
	Reg.,	Aug. 21, 3.45 p.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 21, 4.30 p.m.
	Saturday	
Shanghai and "Europe via Siberia"	Conte Verde	Sat., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
Letters for "K.L.M. Service"—due Kaiser-I-Hind	Aug. 22.	
Amsterdam, 31st August.	G. G. Paul Doumer	Sat., Aug. 22, 9.30 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles.	G. G. Paul Doumer	Sat., Aug. 22, 10 a.m.
(Due Marseilles, 18th September).	Parcels,	Aug. 22, 10.30 a.m.
	Reg.,	Aug. 22, 9.45 a.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 22, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Aug. 22, 2 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Jefferson	Sat., Aug. 22, 4.30 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, E. and S. Africa.	Montevideo Maru	Sat., Aug. 22, 5 p.m.
	Sunday.	
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
Holhow	Mulnam	Sun., Aug. 23, 9 a.m.
	Monday.	
Fort Bayard, Holhow, Pakhoi and Amoy	G. G. Paul Doumer	Mon., Aug. 24, 1 p.m.
	Sinkiang	Mon., Aug. 24, 3.30 p.m.
	Tuesday.	
Davao	Tjikembang	Tues., Aug. 25, 9.30 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Kwangtung	Tues., Aug. 25, 1.30 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, "Canada and Europe via San Francisco and Europe via Siberia" (Due San Francisco, 15th Sept.)	Pres. Cleveland	Tues., Aug. 25.
	Parcels,	Aug. 25, 4 p.m.
	Reg.,	Aug. 25, 3 p.m.
	Letters,	Aug. 25, 5.30 p.m.
	Wednesday.	
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and Hector	G. G. Paul Doumer	Wed., Aug. 26, 9.45 a.m.
"Europe via Marseilles" (Due Marseilles, 24th September.)	Letters,	Aug. 26, 10.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Islami	Wed., Aug. 26.
Parcels,	Aug. 26, 1 p.m.	
Foochow via Swatow	Fooshing	Wed., Aug. 26, 2.30 p.m.
Amoy	Tsinan	Wed., Aug. 26, 4.30 p.m.
	Thursday	
Manila	Emp. of Asia	Thurs., Aug. 27, 3.30 p.m.
	Pres. Coolidge	Thurs., Aug. 27, 5 p.m.
	*Superscribed correspondence only.	

TYPHOON PHOTOGRAPHS

COPIES OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF TYPHOON DAMAGE SCENES, RECENTLY PUBLISHED IN THE "SOUTH CHINA MORNING POST" AND "THE HONGKONG TELEGRAPH", MAY BE OBTAINED AT THE OFFICE OF THE "S. C. M. POST"



George Raft and Rosalind Russell in "It Had to Happen," showing to-day at the King's Theatre.



Sylvia Sydney, Fred MacMurray and Henry Fonda in Paramount's entire technicolor super-production, "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine," showing at the Queen's and Alhambra Theatres from to-morrow.

EXCHANGE		EXCHANGE RATES		RAILWAY LOOP LINE	
Selling		Aug. 19.		PARLEYS NOW IN PROGRESS	
T.T.	1.21	Paris	76.29/64	Aug. 20.	76.27/64
Demand	1.21	Geneva	15.44		15.42 1/2
T.T. Shanghai	102 1/2	Berlin	12.50 1/2		12.50
T.T. Singapore	52 1/2	Athens	529		529
T.T. Japan	105 1/2	Milan	63 1/2		63 1/2
T.T. India	104 1/2	Oslo	10.90		10.90
T.T. U.S.A.	31 1/2	Shanghai	1/2.13/32		1/2.13/32
T.T. Manila	42 1/2	New York	5.03 1/2		5.03 1/2
T.T. Batavia	15 1/2	Amsterdam	7.41		7.41
T.T. Bangkok	150 1/2	Vienna	26 1/2		26 1/2
T.T. Saigon	40-11/16	Prague	121 1/2		121 1/2
T.T. France	3.47 1/2	Madrid	40		40
T.T. Germany	36 1/2	London	110 1/2		110 1/2
T.T. Switzerland	35 1/2	Bombay	1/2.29/32		1/2.29/32
T.T. Australia	1.65 1/2	Calcutta	1/6 1/2		1/6 1/2
T.T. Lisbon	1.65 1/2	Brussels	29.83		29.82 1/2
Buying		Montreal	5.03 1/2		5.03 1/2
4 m/s. L/C. London	1.34 1/2	Yokohama	1/2.16 1/4		1/2.16 1/4
4 m/s. D/P. do	1.34 1/2	Silver (forward)	10 1/2		10 1/2
4 m/s. L/C. U.S.A.	31 1/2	Silver (Spot)	10 1/2		10 1/2
4 m/s. France	3.47 1/2	War Loan	100 1/2		100 1/2
20 d/s. India	33 1/2				
U.S. Cross rate in London	5.03 1/2				

WOULD-BE PILOTS CRASH WANTED TO FLY TO SPAIN

London, Aug. 20.

The importance of the measures the Government has taken to secure the enforcement of prohibition on export of aircraft to Spain, imposed yesterday, was underlined by an incident which occurred at Portsmouth Aerodrome a few hours before the issue of the Air Ministry's warning to pilots. A statement made public later by Airspeed, Limited, describes what occurred.

"Early to-day two wood-working employees of this company went into a hangar on the Portsmouth Aerodrome and took out a Courier aeroplane, the property of the company. Neither of the men was a pilot. In this aeroplane they attempted to take off from the aerodrome but hit an obstruction on the boundary and crashed. Both men are seriously injured."

Subsequent to the accident one of the men said they took the machine with the intention of flying to Spain.

"We take this opportunity of stating the act was entirely unauthorised by this company, which had no knowledge or complicity of this foolhardy attempt."—British Wireless.

Pilots Warned By Ministry NO MORE PLANES FOR SPAIN

London, Aug. 20.

Unilateral action of the British Government, to make effective the essentials of a non-intervention pact in the Spanish Civil War, in anticipation of a general agreement among interested powers on proposals drawn up by the French Government, was carried a stage further this afternoon when the Air Ministry issued the following announcement:

"In view of the decision of the Government to prohibit export of aircraft to Spanish possessions and the Spanish zone of Morocco, any pilot convicted of an offence against the Air Navigation Order or Customs Acts by reason of having made a false declaration to customs authorities in respect of destination or other particulars of aircraft, will come under consideration of the Secretary of Air with a view to cancellation or suspension of his pilot's licence."

"All pilots are warned that a serious view will be taken of any attempt to deliver aircraft directly or indirectly to Spain or the above-mentioned territories in evasion of the Government prohibition."—British Wireless.

UNEMPLOYED AGED RANGE

WHAT LATEST RETURNS SHOW

London, Aug. 20.

A half-yearly analysis of the age distribution of unemployed men and women, made by the Labour Ministry, shows that while there was a reduction between May, 1935, and last May in the numbers unemployed in nearly every age group, the reduction was greater proportionally among persons under 35 years.

Men under 35 were 44.9 per cent. of all unemployed men in May, 1935, but this May the percentage had fallen to 41.6.—British Wireless.

TWO CANDIDATES FOR U.S. POST

MR. HSU MO MAY BE AMBASSADOR

Shanghai, Aug. 21.

With the Ambassador to the United States, Mr. Alfred Sze, due to return to China in the autumn on long furlough, probably leading to his retirement, it is learned that Mr. Hsu Mo is a likely candidate for the Washington post as well as Dr. C. T. Wang.

Mr. Hsu, at present Vice-Minister of Foreign Affairs, received his M.A. at George Washington University in 1912 was formerly an attaché of the Chinese Legation in Washington and was Secretary of the Chinese Delegation to the Washington Disarmament Conference.

Meanwhile, the Soviet has approved the selection of Dr. Chiang Ting-fu to succeed Mr. W. W. Yen at Moscow and this appointment will be gazetted shortly.—United Press.

JAPAN LIKELY TO PRESS FOR CONCESSIONS

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not to refer economic questions to Nanking.

Smuggling Curable

Mr. Kawagoe admitted the smuggling in North China, but added that it was curable through the revision of "improper" tariffs.

Meanwhile, from Kuling, where the Executive Yuan is meeting, word of exemption from the new Chinese income tax by foreign diplomatic officials and foreign nationals of less than one year's residence, whose income does not originate in China, has been received. However, these exemptions apply only to diplomats and nationals of countries extending the same treatment to Chinese abroad.

The Executive Yuan also voted to collect income tax on salaries and other remunerations of public functionaries and on the interest derived from various Government bonds and savings deposits, effective October 1. Other collections start January 1, 1937.—United Press.

ZINOVIEFF EXPOSES PLOTTERS

(Continued from Page 1.)

regarding the speeding up of terrorist action against Stalin.

Replying to the Attorney-General, Kamenoff confirmed his leading role in the organization of the assassination of M. Kirov in Petrograd. The attempt to kill Stalin was to be made last May Day, during the demonstrations in the Red Square.

STUDENTS INVOLVED

According to the testimony of Olsberg, another of the accused, simultaneous attempts were to be made on the lives of other Soviet leaders in Leningrad (Petrograd) and Kieff. He had prepared a bomb and had arranged with student supporters of Trotsky to throw it when they were marching past Stalin in Red Square. A last-minute arrest prevented the plot being carried out.

The Attorney-General produced what he described as a Trotsky document, containing the words, "Stalin must be destroyed."

The prosecution is making determined efforts to prove there is a link between Nazi Germany and the alleged Trotsky-Zinovieff plot.—Reuter.

U.S. VETERAN PASSES

San Antonio, Aug. 20.

Col. Millard F. Waltz, 70, Chief of Staff of the expedition to Cuba and who served in the Philippines campaign, died to-day.—United Press.

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NEW MACHINERY INSTALLED

London, Aug. 20.

An important stage in the revival of the British flax industry was marked to-day by the starting up of electrically-driven machinery of the latest design in the de-seeding section of new flax mills at Billings, in Northamptonshire.

The mills, which will be in full operation by September 7, are part of a new industrial venture associated with a carefully-planned agricultural experiment in the same county. Six hundred acres have been sown with pedigree seed, and, despite adverse weather, a crop of exceptionally good quality has been harvested.—British Wireless.

MOTOR WIND SCREENS

MUST BE SAFETY GLASS

London, Aug. 20.

In January next, regulations issued by the Ministry of Transport will make compulsory the use of safety glass wind screens on motor vehicles.

All vehicles manufactured after 1931 are fitted with windcreens of the safety type, but it is estimated that some 600,000 private and about 200,000 commercial vehicles at present on the road have ordinary glass screens and that probably 500,000 of these will be continued on the road by their owners, who will have to have new windcreens fitted before the end of the year.—British Wireless.

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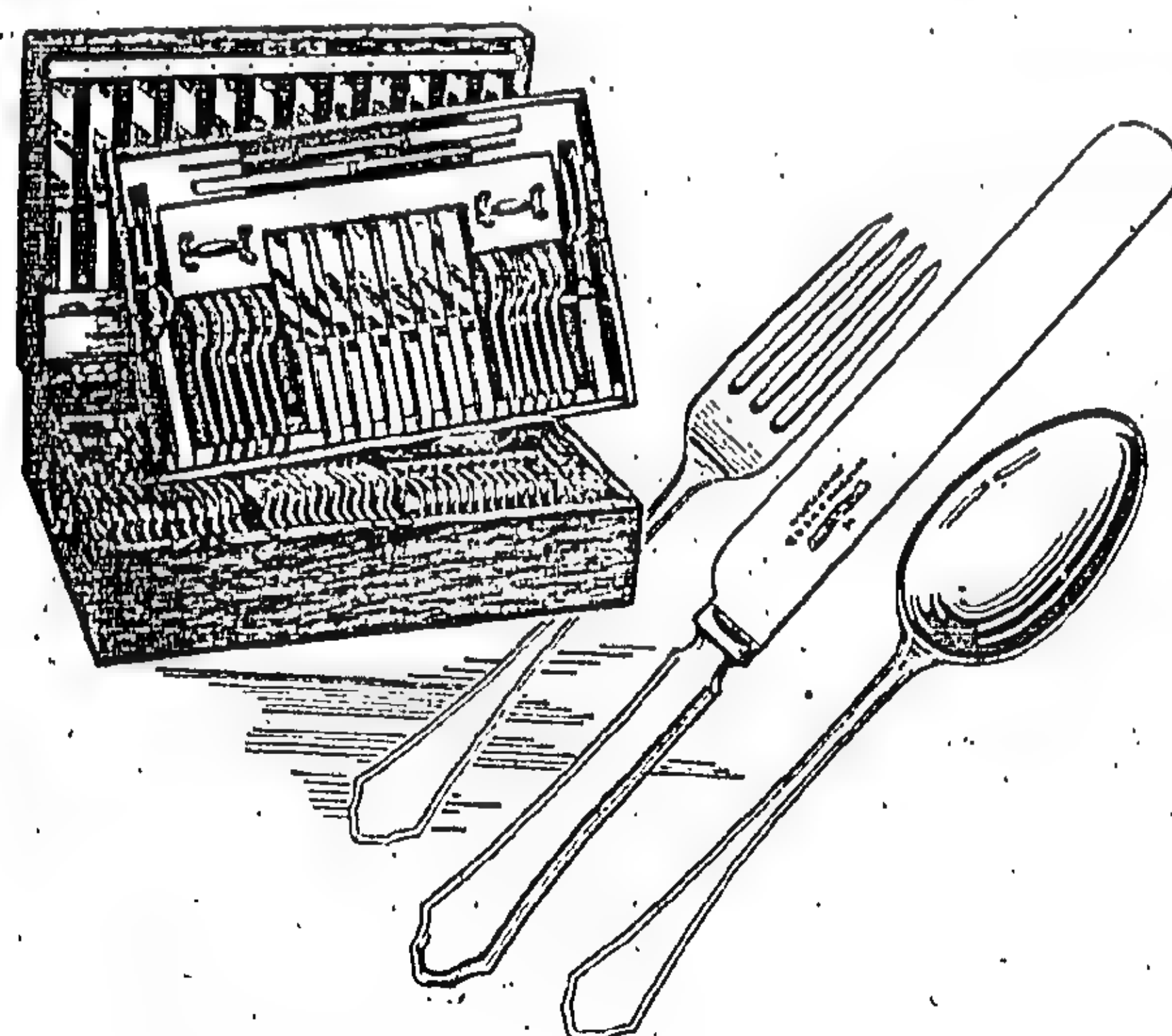
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WORLD WAR FEARS AND HOPES

Will there be another world war? Despite the almost universal desire to the contrary, there undoubtedly exists a widespread fear that war will somehow break out sooner or later in Europe. Happily, however, there are factors which suggest that such a catastrophe will be avoided. Signor Mussolini, who is fully conscious of the realities of the situation, has just hazarded the view that a European upheaval would pave the way to Communism when the nations involved became exhausted. That possibility will doubtless be a restraining element tending to make ambitious statesmen or militarists hesitate before committing any act which would precipitate a world upheaval. It is of interest to note that much the same note as that struck by Mussolini was recently sounded by Dr. Benes, the President of Czechoslovakia, when he asserted that he had a strange feeling that war would not break out. The reason he gave was that any nation which unleashed a European war would never attain its ends; for such a conflict would lead first to general chaos and would only be the introduction to another and more disastrous war, without issue or end. Such a grave responsibility, Dr. Benes thinks, no statesman could overlook; hence his belief that peace will be saved and some agreement reached in concert between the Powers interested in the preservation of European concord and civilisation. This view, coming from a man of the calibre of Dr. Benes, is worthy of notice. Dr. Benes has been Minister of Foreign Affairs for nearly twenty years; he has been described as being as efficient as a dynamo, as one who has no cant, but talks facts; who sees Europe as a whole, and whose dearest ambition is to organise an effective United States of Europe. A statesman of his authority and foresight does not choose his words lightly; his opinion should carry much weight. If all the leaders in Europe were of his frame of mind, there would never be any fear of another world upheaval. Trouble, should it come, might emanate from "statesmen" who are not statesmen, who may blunder into catastrophe because they have not the first quality of true statesmanship, foresight, or who are so eaten up with ambition that their first thought

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WHAT THE SPANISH WAR MEANS

L EON TROTSKY once said that the next country to go Communist would be Spain. It is obvious that before their respective revolutions Russia more nearly resembled that country than any other in Europe.

They both had a peasantry that was miserably illiterate and poor, a Christianity that was often rather a superstition than a religion, and enormous estates that were run for the benefit of absentee landlords to the detriment of the men who worked on them.

But one had not expected events to go so far or so quickly to prove Trotsky right.

That sort of thing is happening to-day throughout Spain. On both sides, cruelties are being committed which mock at the pretensions of the twentieth century to be civilised.

If one studies the European Press to-day one is struck by the tremendous discrepancies in the reports of the Spanish civil war.

Even in our own country the more genteel newspapers are referring to those in revolt against a regularly constituted government as "insurgents" rather than as "rebels." In the more Radical papers these "insurgents" become the worst sort of bullies and bandits.

People are always ready in political strife to see all the heroism on the side with which they sympathise and all the atrocities on the other. They seldom pause to realise that this is no ordinary rebellion.

Sixteen years ago I was with the Red Guards in Essen after the famous Kapp Putsch, and by crossing the firing line each

It is inconceivable that we should be so decidedly taking sides unless we realised that this is no ordinary rebellion.

We know that the Spain which will emerge from the smoke of battle will be a very different country from the Spain of yesterday. In its transformation it may arouse among Britons a controversy as bitter as that which used to wage round the mention of Russia. It may incline many good English Liberals towards Communism and a few towards Fascism.

NOTES OF THE DAY

Two agreements were reached last month which appear to be based respectively on two fundamentally opposed principles. In the first place there was the agreement between Germany, Austria and Italy. On the surface this agreement should do much for the appeasement of Europe as it means the ending of a feud between two Great Powers. But the fact that it has not been hailed with a sigh of relief is to be traced to the fact that the two Great Powers concerned had both, acting independently, successfully defied the forces of Law and Order. Consequently Europe is asking anxiously whether the new agreement presages a still more successful, because more powerful, defiance of the principles of Law and Order.

The other agreement is a triumph for the forces of Law and Order, and of peaceful change by international agreement. For this reason the agreement in regard to the Dardanelles has been hailed with a sigh of relief. It is not so much the contents of the agreement that have contributed to the general satisfaction as the fact that the agreement has not been the outcome of resort to force or the tearing up of treaties but of reliance on the goodwill of nations to effect a peaceful change in the existing World Order.

The nations have got to make up their mind which of these two principles shall dominate the policy of Europe. If they concede anything to the successful aggressor and condone every breach of a treaty, then anarchy, followed logically by war, is the prospect before us. If on the other hand, they stand firm for the principle of the sacredness of international obligations—in other words if they stand firm by the principles of the League—then there is still hope that the dreaded "next war" may be averted.

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By

Vernon Bartlett

Should the rebels win, there will be a period of brutal reaction far exceeding the expectations of those nice British Conservatives who have met and liked Spanish monarchists and who know nothing of the misery of those immense devastated agricultural areas for which they are so gravely responsible.

British Conservatives would have as little in common with a victorious reaction in Madrid as British Liberals would have with a victorious Communist government.

tatorships of the Right and the Left, are fighting it out on the arid plains of the Spanish Peninsula?

The struggle is so important, apart from all the bloodshed it involves, because it will force us to answer questions which we have hitherto done our best to avoid. Is peace, in fact, impossible in a world which contains Democracy, National Socialism and Russian Communism?

If they are so incompatible, will our British conceptions of personal liberty survive, or shall we find ourselves forced in the end to choose one of these other doctrines which have a more obvious appeal to youth because, although they limit a freedom we have learnt to treasure, they are showing themselves so much more positive and dynamic than democracy?

If, as is greatly to be feared, this struggle drags on, Herr Hitler and Signor Mussolini will inevitably be drawn more and more to support the rebels, and M. Leon Blum to support the government. This must happen however scrupulous they may be at present in withholding help.

Germany would be genuinely frightened of Communism at each extremity of Europe. France would be even more frightened of a Fascist dictatorship beyond her Western as well as her Eastern frontier.

Fear is so much the father of folly that one cannot expect those two countries for long to refrain from interference, open or secret.

And, indeed, why should they? Spain is the unfortunate battlefield of two doctrines which are apparently so incompatible that people who hold them scoff at the idea of lasting peace until the rival has been wiped off the face of the earth.

How can the Five-Power conference to bring security to Western Europe go forward according to plan if democracy and dictatorship, or even dictatorship, are to be the result?

SIDE GLANCES By George Clark



"She's always telling people that we went to school together, but she never mentions that she was the teacher."

And, if we are right in this belief, are we to allow this dispute to drag on, to impoverish Spain for generations, and to accentuate the divergencies between the political conceptions of people hundreds of miles away from the Spanish frontier until talk of peace conferences and international reconciliation becomes a mockery of the hopes of mankind?

It is of no use to pretend that this conflict is merely a domestic one. It is a conflict which involves you, me and the man down the road. It may divide Europe into two sections hostile beyond all possibility of reconciliation.

But it might build a bridge between them. There is something to be said for strict neutrality. There is more to be said for intervention on the side of a legally-constituted government against the threat of a military tyranny of the worst possible type.

There is still more to be said for an attempt to get the five Powers who are supposed to collaborate in pacifying Western Europe to make a joint appeal for a truce in Spain before the bitterness and misery of her people poison the atmosphere of Europe in which a civilised man already finds it so difficult to breathe.

"MY IDEAL MARRIAGE—MY OWN"

Marlene Dietrich
Star Besieged By
Frantic Crowds

(By A Special Correspondent)

Paris, Aug. 10.

AFTER being mobbed by one of the largest and most frenzied crowds that have ever welcomed a film star to Paris, Miss Marlene Dietrich, the blonde idol of millions of screen fans, told me to-night of her plans for her London visit and for the education there of her daughter Maria, aged 11.

We sat in her suite in a small, extremely quiet hotel away from the fashionable thoroughfares of Paris, and as we talked Maria, a tall, fair-haired, vivacious girl entered and shyly shook hands.

"I shall go to England, probably next week—it depends on when I can see Mr. Korda to arrange about my film," Miss Dietrich told me. "We hope that Maria will be able to start her English schooling, near London, after the summer holidays in September."

"I expect to stay in England throughout September to make my film with Robert Donat, based on James Hilton's book 'Without Armour', then perhaps I shall stay a short while on the French Riviera, and afterwards go back to make three films for Paramount, one produced by Ernest Lubitsch, and the other with Frank Lloyd."

MY MARRIAGE

"Everyone asks me if I am really happy in my married life," she went on (Miss Dietrich's husband is Herr Rudolph Sieber). "Of course I am. These 12 years since my marriage have been ideal—but, of course, we must not claim to be the happiest married couple. Married couples can never be happy if they are continually parted."

"I see no reason why I shall not work again with von Sternberg," said Miss Dietrich, referring to her supposed professional separation from the man who directed many of her Hollywood pictures. "There is no separation really."

"I must have rest now," she said. A slight huskiness enhanced the charm of her smooth, perfectly controlled voice, which has thrilled filmgoers all round the world.

HEMMED IN BY CROWD

At the Gare St. Lazare, the terminus where Miss Dietrich arrived from Le Havre en route from Hollywood, astonishing scenes marked the entrance of the boat train.

A struggling crowd rushed along the platform and surrounded Miss Dietrich as she stepped from the coach.

At one period her husband and a friend had to prevent her from being crushed by the crowd.

It took her a full 20 minutes to struggle along the few feet of platform towards a pre-arranged exit through the station yard.

As her car drove scores of frantic women claved at the windows and jumped on to the running-board, eager to see the famous star.

A Way They Have in Auchtermuchty

From A Special Correspondent

AUCHTERMUCHTY for the Auchtermuchtyans, a tariff wall round the town and no more dumping on early-closing day from the foreigners at Strathmiglo, Pitlour, Colleslie and the like—such are to be the slogans of that Royal and ancient burgh in the north-west of Fife.

The Auchtermuchty Town Council is seeking to revive a 400-year-old local law to give protection to its 1,200 inhabitants.

"The cause of the trouble is Tuesday afternoons, explained the Dean of the Guild, Councillor William Dick, to me. 'Tuesday afternoons here are early-closing days, and directly the local shops shut, carts drive in from the towns round about, selling things to the people of Auchtermuchty.'

"That's a grave loss to the shopkeepers of Auchtermuchty, and now it's getting worse. The carts come in from the other towns, and sell their things at a wee bit cheaper than the shops."

"And I'm sorry to say the people of Auchtermuchty are taking advantage of it, and buying up, on Tuesday afternoons, things they will need for the week."

AN OLD LAW

"But there's an old law in Auchtermuchty," he continued with a smile, "that we are going to revive, to put a stop to it."

"That old law, a very old custom in Auchtermuchty, puts a toll of twopenny on each cart that comes into the town, selling things. It's a very good law, that, more than 100 years old, and when I was a boy, 60 years ago, I can remember it was still in force then."

"If we revive that old law, every cart that comes selling into Auchtermuchty on a Tuesday afternoon will have to pay the town a toll of twopenny. That'll stop it."

"This twopenny tariff," I asked, "is designed to make the foreign carts stay out, or pay to come in?"

"In Scotland," replied the Dean of the Guild, "it will keep them out. Twopenny a cart, every Tuesday, should do the trick nicely."

MOVIE DEB



Kay Stewart, young socialite granddaughter of James Stewart, old magnate, is the latest to join the movie. She will have a role in Rex Beach's 'The Barrier' when it is filmed.

"CONFIDENCE TRICKS" IN OSTEOPATHY

Surgeon's Attack On "Stunt" DRINK AND THE CAR DRIVER

Osteopaths will be up in arms at the stinging criticism of their calling by Mr. A. S. Blundell Bankart, the orthopaedic surgeon of Middlesex Hospital.

Here are some of the things he said at the British Medical Association conference at Oxford. "Osteopathy is an American stunt based on the unsupported assertion that practically all diseases are due to imaginary displacements of the spine."

"It has been investigated up to the hilt, and it has been found wanting. 'It is up to all orthopaedic surgeons to see that these confidence tricks are exposed, and to ensure that the proper use of manipulation in surgery is taught and practised in all our teaching hospitals.'

"Do not let anyone deceive you by explaining that the modern osteopath is a more enlightened fellow who has become, in fact, a manipulative surgeon. This is not true," said Mr. Bankart.

"It is true that the osteopath has shifted his ground, and again as one after another of his claims has been shown to be absolutely devoid of any scientific foundation. 'In treatment, too, the osteopath has shifted or extended his ground in that he may employ local treatment in addition to the more extensive treatment for the spinal adjustments which are the essential basis of osteopathic treatment.'

"I need hardly remind you of the monopoly of manipulative surgery for osteopaths in this country. Osteopathy has nothing whatever to do with manipulative surgery."

Mr. Bankart said that there was little to choose between osteopathy and chiropractic. Its rival venture proved even more successful than its prototype, judging from the fact that there were far more osteopaths than osteopaths in the United States and Canada.

"How many of you who are attached to large hospitals have any organised arrangements for dealing with the large number of cases which require manipulation in ordinary orthopaedic practice?" Mr. Bankart asked.

FLAT FEET THEORY

People did not suffer from flat feet, but more from inability to flatten their feet. The great majority of 'civilised' people have acquired some restriction of the natural mobility of their feet so that they cannot flatten them without meeting with the resistance of the soft parts. When the flattening foot meets with this resistance it is strained, and the condition is painful."

Dr. W. J. L'Amoreux (Oxford), discussing electro-therapy, said: "Under existing conditions electrical treatment is prescribed by medical practitioners who have no knowledge of the remedy that they are prescribing, and the treatment is administered by those who are entirely ignorant of the nature of the disease which they are treating."

Professor Sir Joseph Barcroft, at a luncheon breakfast at which delegates were guests, said that all thinking people would agree that alcohol, even in moderate quantities, had a definitely adverse effect on drivers. This was the conclusion reached by the B.M.A. committee appointed to study the subject.

One member of the committee, he said, took the view that alcohol might be regarded as beneficial to the tired man, and a great many doctors agreed.

"But the fact is, quite frankly, that we do not know," Sir Joseph said. "The amount of research that is being done has only been done in relation to the average person and not to the tired man. It would seem to me well to go into this matter more thoroughly."

McMAHON AS A "SOCIAL REFORMER"

AGED FATHER IN TEARS

JEROME BANNIGAN, alias Gorge Andrew McMahon, is an Irishman whose home is in Glasgow. He is thirty-two years old. His father, with whom he has not communicated for ten years, is eighty years old, fast going blind. His brother, a priest of the Roman Catholic Church, is now in Dublin.

A friend of Bannigan said: "Bannigan, whom I knew as McMahon, was associated with Mrs. Violet Van der Elst in her campaign against capital punishment."

"He claims to have helped her to write a book. He assisted her in a general election campaign. 'He was married, I believe, in Scotland. He calls himself a social reformer.'"

Last April McMahon claimed £67 10s. from Mrs. Van der Elst at Marylebone County Court. He alleged that she instructed him to hire cars during her general election campaign at Putney. The claim was dismissed with costs.

Father's Grief

In February McMahon gave evidence in the King's Division in a case in which Mrs. Van der Elst was concerned.

He stated then that he helped Mrs. Van der Elst to write a book against capital punishment.

A Glasgow reporter wrote: Bannigan's father heard the news with bowed head and tear-filled eyes. He buried his face in his hands.

"It is too terrible," he said. "My son's drinking bouts may have turned his head. He requires medical examination."

"His brother Patrick, a priest, did all he could for Jerome. Gradually he drifted from home, and we lost sight of him entirely."

"I only pray to God that the court authorities have him medically examined before dealing with him."

"Help me," he whispered, "to keep this from his mother. She is only now able to be about after thirteen weeks in bed. The shock might kill her."

The Bannigan family are natives of Cookstown, Tyrone.

NEW PRAYER BOOK CONTROVERSY RELATIONS OF CHURCH AND STATE

An important memorandum on the recently published report of the Archbishop's Commission on Church and State has been issued by the Councils of the Anglican Evangelical Group Movement and the Modern Churchmen's Union.

It is declared to be undesirable to alter the existing relations between Church and State in order to give effect to a measure legalising the most controversial parts of the 1927-8 Prayer Book, the alternative Order of Holy Communion and Reservation.

In regard to the proposed convocation of a Round Table Conference, it is demanded that the conference shall represent all schools of thought within the Church, that it shall explore all problems associated with Holy Communion and Reservation, and that its scope shall include the problem of intercommunion with members of other churches.

Son Who Murdered Mother Benefits Under Her Will

By the will of Mrs. Lavinia B. Ball, of St. Helen's-road, Bootstown, Co. Dublin, who died on the 17th February 1936, leaving personal estate in the Irish Free State of £10,030 16s. 7d., her share of her father's estate and the residue of her own estate goes on trust to her sons, John C. Preston Ball, of Marine Park, West Kirby, Cheshire, and Edward Francis Alan Ball, upon their attaining 25 years of age.

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BOOK REVIEWS BY A. D.

From Z. B. W. on a wavelength of 353 metres (845 kilocycles): 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7-11 p.m. European Programme. 7 p.m. Excerpts from Light Opera and Musical Comedy. Tom Jones—Selection (German); Songs—To shield the husband's honour—"Helen" (Offenbach); O Divine Couple—"Helen" (Offenbach); Fiedel—Schuster (Soprano); Selection—Tond of Tond Hall (Fraser-Simson); Song—"If I am dreaming—"The Dabarry"; Heddie Nash (Tenor); The Shepherd's Song—"Helen"; Heddie Nash (Tenor). 7.30 p.m. A Relay from Davenport.

Vol Rosing and his Orchestra. 7.50 p.m. From the Studio. "Book Reviews" by A. D.

8 p.m. Local: Time Signal, Weather Report, Stock Quotations and announcements. 8.05 p.m. "Liebestraume" (Liszt). 8.10 p.m. From the Studio. A Recital by Prue Lewis (Violin) and Elvie Yuen (Soprano).

Programme

Violin Solos—Cavatina... Raff. Minuet... Beethoven; 2. Songs—Freschi lugghi, pradi autenti. Donaudy; No. non mi guardate. Donaudy; 3. Violin Solos—Waltz in A Major... Brahms. Andantino... Martini; 4. Songs—Spirate pur, spirite... Donaudy. Amor mi tiene in pugno... Donaudy.

8.35 p.m. Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra. Toccata and Fugue (Bach); Tone Poem "Finlandia" (Sibelius); Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2 (Liszt). 9 p.m. News and announcements from London.

9.20 p.m. Variety. Accordion Solo—A Little Gypsy Tea Room... George Scott Wood; Song—This is the kiss of romance... Lucienne Boyer; Instrumental—Sweet Hawaiian Maid... Andy Iona and his Islanders; Song—Love's Last word is spoken... Grace Fields; Vocal—Twilight on the Trail... The Hill Billies; Organ Solo—Grasshoppers' Dance... Sydney Gussard. 9.40 p.m. From the Studio. A Jazz Piano Recital by Doreen Ma.

Programme

1. Medley; 2. Poor Butterfly; 3. Contrasts; 4. We're in a Panic; 5. My Love.

10 p.m. Big Ben from London. Light Orchestral Selections. Broken Doll; Alexander's Ragtime Band; Your heart called mine; Vienna in Springtime; Zee Zee Zee. 10.15 p.m. Songs by Nelson Eddy (Baritone).

1. Tramp, Tramp, Tramp along the Highway ("Naughty Marietta") (Herbert). 2. Nenth the Southern Moon ("Naughty Marietta"). 3. You are free ("Apple Blossoms"). 4. Love's Old Sweet Song (Molloy). 10.30 p.m. Dance Music. 11 p.m. Close Down.

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2.30 p.m. News and Review in English. 2.35 p.m. Dance Music. 4.30 p.m. Here come the German Minstrels. 5.15 p.m. Folk Song Singing by the Hitler Youth.

2.35 p.m. News and Review in German. 2.40 p.m. Talk about books, "Plaisir" and "Guitar".

2.45 p.m. ARIA ZONE. East Asia Zone broadcast through DJB on 10.73 metres (18.200 kc.) 1.30-3 p.m. Concert, news at 2 p.m.

4.55 p.m. German Folk Song. 7 p.m. Concert of Light Music. 8 p.m. News in English. 8.15 p.m. Greetings to our listeners in the Dutch East Indies.

8.20 p.m. Little German Broadcasting A.B.C. 8.35 p.m. Concert of Light Music (continued). 9 p.m. News and Review in German. 9.15 p.m. Folk Music. 9.20 p.m. News and Review in English on DJB.

10.15 p.m. Today in Germany. "Lindke-Hilfstrasse". 10.20 p.m. Folk Song Singing by the Hitler Youth.

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Transmission 1

(G.S.G., G.R.F.)
1.15 p.m. Big Ben. Sports Talk.
1.20 p.m. British Hindemith (Violin).
1.45 p.m. "The Dream of Paris".
2.30 p.m. A Recital by Marie Becker (Violin).

2.35 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 3 p.m. Transmission 2

(G.S.G., G.R.F.)
7 p.m. Big Ben. A Recital by Millicent Silver (Pianoforte).
7.15 p.m. "Life on Board a Whaler".
7.30 p.m. Vol Rosing and his Orchestra.
8 p.m. The Band of His Majesty's Scots Guards.

Greenwich Time Signal at 9 p.m.
9 p.m. The News and Announcements.
9.20 p.m. Trefusard. Newydd. A Hen Alouen Cymroeg. Conr. Awyrt gan Wyddel Maelion. 7. Gwalia (New arrangements of Old Welsh Airs, sung by the Gwalia Male Choir).

Transmission 3
(G.S.G., G.R.F.)
10 p.m. Big Ben. "R.V.P." An Empire Song.
10.45 p.m. Gwalia Male Choir.
11 p.m. The B.B.C. Midland Orchestra.
11.25 p.m. The News and Announcements. Greenwich Time Signal at 12 a.m.
12.15 a.m. Melodiff's Halaika Orchestra.



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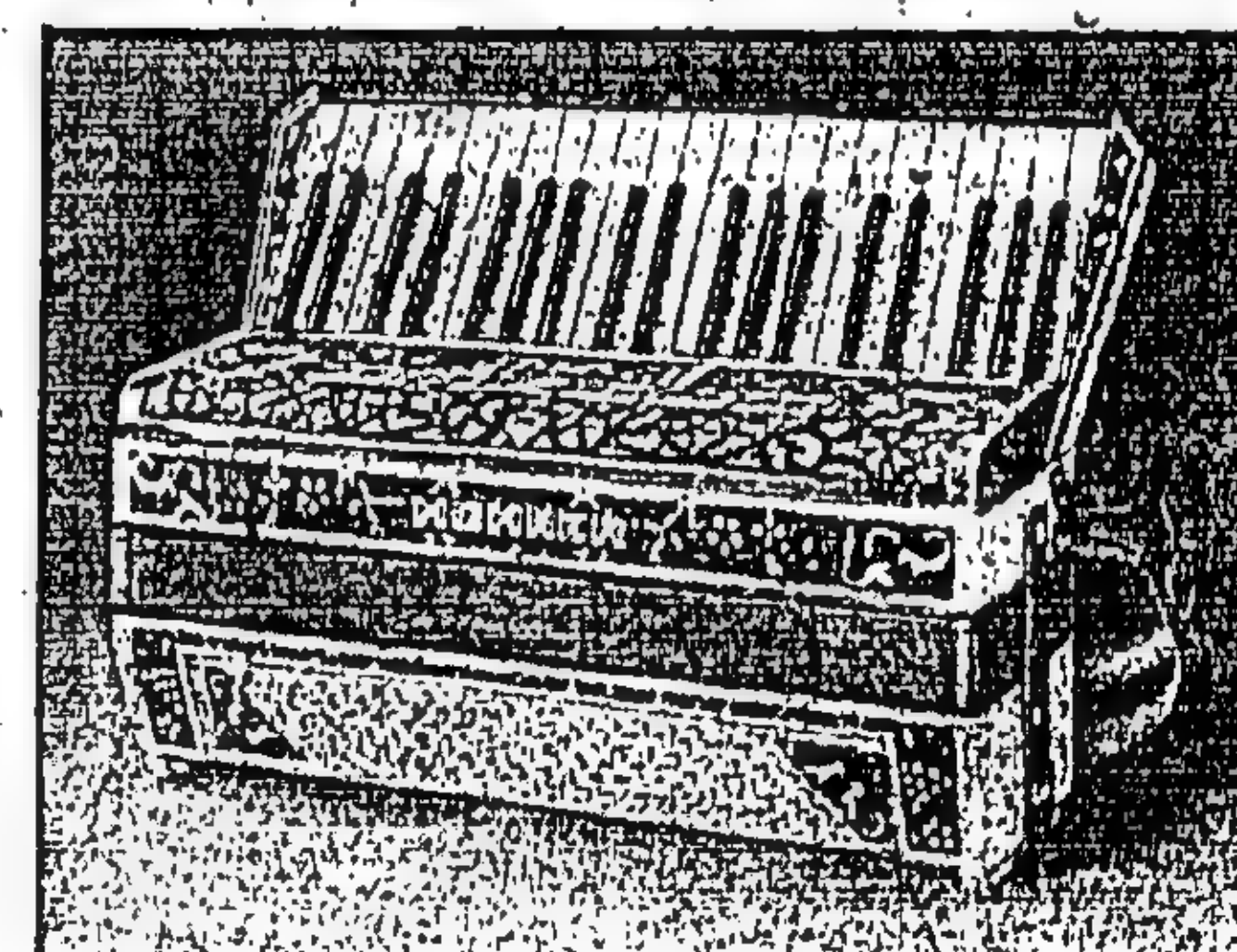
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The Lawn Bowls Association have now released the names of the players chosen by the Selection Committee to represent Shanghai against Hongkong here, in the early part of September. The following are the players, venue and date of the three Interport matches:—

1st Interport, Sept. 2 on the Police Lawn Bowls Club green in Hongkong Park—C. W. Glover (S.L.B.C. Skip), T. G. Main (Recs. No. 3), C. Richards (S.L.B.C. No. 2), F. Medina (C. L. Lead).

2nd Interport, Sept. 12 on the Yang-tzeou Bowling Club green in Hongkong Park—A. J. Hall (J. G. Skip), J. B. Harvey (Y.B.C. No. 3), C. F. Remedios (H.G.C. No. 2), C. M. Guimaraes (H.G.C. Lead).

3rd Interport, Sept. 14 on the Recreation Ground—G. V. Jensen (Recs. Skip), J. F. de Campos (C.L. No. 3), H. G. Howard (S.L.B.C. No. 2), W. T. Manley (Recs. Lead).

Reserves—Skip, D. Ramsay (Y.B.C. No. 2), F. O. Madar (Recs. No. 2), J. W. Brerley (Y.B.C. Lead), A. Harvey (S.L.B.C.). All matches are to start at 3 p.m.

It is interesting to note that the players in the first rink are the same, although not playing in the same order, that lost against the Colony in Hongkong in 1931, when they were defeated by F. Cullen, Skip, J. Fraser, A. M. Holland, J. Pundarik, and J. B. Harvey.

The Selection Committee have made a fairly good job of a difficult task, they have chosen three strong rinks, which in one or two instances might have been improved upon, but naturally it is impossible to please everyone with so many good players.

The reserves are particularly strong, and will probably make a stronger rink than at least one of those chosen. In lawn bowls, more than any other game, there are players who are exceptionally good, who never seem to catch the eye and are missed by selection committees, year after year. Whilst other players not quite so good and perhaps trading on past reputations, are chosen year after year.

Although Hongkong are sending up a strong team this year, they are probably the last time that the three rinks chosen will be so strong, a bit too difficult and there is no reason why Shanghai should not again be successful and make it three straight wins.

JESSE OWENS SAILS

Athlete Going Home In The Queen Mary

Southampton, Aug. 19. Jesse Owens, the negro athlete who won the 100 metres, 200 metres and running broad jump at the Berlin Olympic Games, sailed for the United States today on the Queen Mary in world-record time, sailed by the Queen Mary for America to-day. He has received many offers to turn professional, and will consider them when he returns.—United Press.

Crawford Says "Phenomenal" of Perry's Cup-winning Tennis

(By Bruce Harris)

When Crawford and Perry discussed with me and each other their rubber match, won decisively by Perry—and with it the Davis Cup—at 6-2, 6-3, 6-3. Perry said: "I knew you were going into court that day with the feeling that you were either there or wasn't. I found that it was present and correct, and so went out for a quick win before it deserted me."

"I think Jack was nervous, and probably the other members of our team had taken too by running him about."

"Mind you, I was hitting the ball early, very early. And knowing that I was doing so and that I had struck a patch, I took all sorts of risks in going up to the net on poor preparation."

"That the shots were there in the crisis, and all went well."

"Did I feel nervous in the third set when I lost three games after leading 3-1? I hardly know. It was such a rush. But from that point onwards I threw all my energy into clinching the match."

CHINESE ATHLETES CRITICISED

By Mosquito Press

The Shanghai mosquito press, one of the strongest arms of China's Fourth Estate, has received reports of the string of defeats of the Chinese Olympic teams with keen disappointment and sarcasm, but still with faint hopes and encouragement for the future.

Although none of the mosquito papers take cable stories from any of the foreign news agencies, they obtain their information regarding the Olympic competitions from the "big papers" and have commented extensively on the results of the events, particularly those concerning Chinese participants.

A survey shows that probably never before has the Chinese press in general taken such a keen interest in the Olympic Games as this year, this being chiefly due to the large number of Chinese participants in the competitions.

While the mosquito press critics generally agreed beforehand that China had no chance, in track and field events, they had, however, expected a better display in the basketball games and in a few of the heats.

PAINFUL DEFEAT

They were particularly disappointed at the last basketball defeat, when at the last moment, there was a faint hope of getting to the semi-finals in this sport and stinging defeat was more painful because the victor was Japan. Had it been some other country probably the mosquito press would not have been so bitter.

The members of the quintet, who were described by the Central News Special Correspondent at Berlin as "haughty," came in for another attack when they lost in the second game to Peru. The defeat of the soccer team at the hands of Britain was a foregone conclusion but some praise was dished out to the team for keeping the score so close.

TIMES DOUBTED

Individuals who came in for attack included Liu Chung-chun, the 100-metre sprinter, Paul Fu, pole vault champion, and Miss Yang Sau-king, pretty Chinese swimmer. The press was disappointed as none of these national champions got placed in the heats and were eliminated from the first trials. One commentator asks whether the national record of Liu—10.7 seconds—was accurate, and why he did not place in the Berlin heats when some runners did by 11 seconds flat. Another critic doubts the timekeepers in China, saying that probably the stop-watch was pressed a little sooner, just to make the record look good and to please the runner and the public.

Paul Fu, who crossed the bar at 4.1 metres at the last National Athletic Meet, merely reached the 3.75 metres mark at Berlin, which caused another critic to doubt the actual record made in China. Miss Yang, who was 15 metres behind the winner in the 100-metre heat for women, was criticised as being spoiled by the public in China, who put her "too high."

In speaking of the races, one paper says that probably the peoples with coloured skin are not physically up to par with the white race, and then turns around and says that Jesse Owens the negro sprinter, also has coloured skin.



English league footballers are now in the midst of rigorous training in preparation for the new season which opens on Saturday week. Here can be seen Charlton Athletic players putting in some routine work.

Barson To Captain S'hai Interport Cricket Team

SUCCESSOR TO DONALD LEACH

Our Daily Golf Hint

The main idea in golf is to have the hands swing the club head. The golf stroke is a swing not a hit.

—Grandland Rice.

DUFF'S EXHAUSTING TENNIS MATCH

WITH CARSON

Shanghai, Aug. 16. Winning all three singles matches without the loss of a set, America defeated Britain in the final of the Rotary Cup tennis tournament at the County Athletic Club yesterday. Only W. H. "Stick" Duff furnished strong opposition to the Americans; both Forbes, and in particular H. Madar, being off their game.

The first singles between Lewis Carson and "Stick" Duff turned out to be a gruelling match in which some of the best tennis seen this season was played, after which Duff, who had just won a 20 games match, came out with an edge over Duff in smashing, earning valuable points when needed through his deadly overhead work.

It was a bitter struggle right through. Carson led 4-2 in the first set but Duff played an inspired game to even matters 4-4 and both won their services the score reached 7-7 when Duff dropped his second service game to allow the American to win 9-7.

DUFF RALLIES

Quite unruffled by the early success of his opponent, Duff started out strongly in the second set to lead 3-1, an advantage which Carson overcame; only to have the Briton again regain again at 5-3.

Duff reached set point twice in the next game but the American was resilient at this stage and after heated rallies, managed to save the match.

Carson reached his peak in the next game, which he won to love bringing the score to 5-5 and killing twice in succession at the net.

The Briton had the lead at 6-5 and again at 8-7 but was unable to break through Carson's service, although at one stage the score was love-30 against Carson.

Duff made his last supreme effort to take the set when he led 9-8, failure to realise which apparently disheartened him for he lost the next three games and set 9-11. The Briton had shot his last bolt and retired at the end of the strenuous set.

Detailed results:—

Shanghai, Aug. 18. The Shanghai Cricket Club announced yesterday that A. J. Barson has been selected to captain the Shanghai Interport cricket team against Hongkong, which will be played in Shanghai early in October probably about the "Double Tenth." At the same time it was announced that the following five would comprise the Interport selection committee: H. A. Coward, E. C. Baker, W. C. G. Clifford, P. V. Simpson and P. Madar.

Barson's choice as captain will be thoroughly endorsed by all cricketers in Shanghai for there are few who have done more to foster the game. He learnt his cricket at Halesbury College and played his first Interport match against Hongkong in Shanghai in 1930 when the match was drawn on account of rain. He made 30 on that occasion. The match was played in May and in September he accompanied the S.C.C. side to Hankow. After an exciting match Hankow won by ten runs, Barson's two contributions were 96 and 28. In that year he was also second in batting averages. He played against Hongkong again in 1931. The following year when the match was played in Shanghai he was in the side. That time Hongkong triumphed. His last appearance against Hongkong was in 1934. The Interport was played here and Shanghai won quite comfortably.

SUCCESS LEACH

He could probably have gone down with the team to Hongkong last year but instead chose to go to Hankow. He also went to Hankow in 1933 when Shanghai won by one wicket. Last year Hankow won by one wicket. His selection breaks the long run of captaincy held by D. W. Leach and though the latter will probably be back from leave in time for the Interport match, the S.C.C. committee have been wise not to choose him for, excellent cricketer that he is, he is bound to be out of touch with local cricket.

For the past two seasons Barson has captained the Wanderers League side.

CUNNINGHAM'S RECORD RUN

800 METRES IN 1:49.7

Stockholm, Aug. 20. Glen Cunningham, the famous American athlete, who performed with distinction at the World Olympics, to-day shattered the world's record in an 800 metres race of 1 min. 49.7 secs.

Previous best for this distance was that of Thomas Hampson that English half-miler, who had a recognised record of 1 min. 49.8 secs, while Ben Eastman, another brilliant American runner also clocked 1:49.5 over 880 yards.—Reuter.

Lewis Carson beat W. H. Duff 9-7, 11-9 (retired).

C. C. Squires beat R. Forbes 6-2, 12-10, 6-4.

S. Melman beat H. Madar 6-2, 6-4, 8-6.

World Title Bout Next February

New York, Aug. 20. It was announced here to-day that the postponed fight between James Braddock and Max Schmeling for the heavyweight title of the world, is expected to be staged at Miami in February next.—United Press.

M. W. Lo Returns To League Tennis

AND WINS THREE SETS

M. W. Lo, 1929 Colony tennis champion, made a welcome reappearance in league tennis yesterday when he partnered his sister, Mrs. Litton, in a mixed doubles match against United Services Recreation Club, and won all three sets.

Chinese Recreation Club won the match by seven sets to two, the only visiting pair to score successes being L. Goldman and Mrs. Wilson, who secured two out of three sets.

Mrs. Dowling returned to the U.S.R.C. team after a lengthy absence, but she and A. L. Sullivan could make no impression on the powerful Chinese pairs.

C.R.C. are now firmly set for the mixed doubles championship. They have to meet K.C.C. (1) twice, but need only to beat them once to win the title. Only by losing their last two matches can C.R.C. fail to win the league.

Yesterday's scores and the amended league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	Sets	
C.R.C.	0	0	0	0	45½	8½	12		
U.S.R.C.	0	4	0	2	30	21	6		
K.C.C. (1)	4	3	0	1	25	11	6		
Recreo	6	1	1	1	14½	36½	3		
K.C.C. (2)	8	0	1	7	17	55	1		

PRIZES FOR WORST BRIDGE HANDS

Best Also to Be Accorded Recognition

New York, Aug. 18. Mr. Ely Culbertson, the famous bridge expert, has announced that he will give prizes for the best and worst hands in bridge. The only conditions are that the hands must be dealt in a bona fide game and must be authenticated by a notary public.

Mr. Culbertson believes that his offer will settle once and for all the perennial reports of hands containing thirteen cards of one suit, and will check statistically a person's chances of drawing such a hand.—United Press.

LEAGUE TENNIS

K. I. T. C. STILL WINNING

To-day's Big Encounter

"C" DIVISION

The long drawn-out contest for the "C" Division tennis league championship is nearing its end. Yesterday Kowloon Indian Tennis Club overcame another important obstacle by beating South China in the latter's final match of the season.

This afternoon K.I.T.C., who are neck and neck with Recreio for the honours, meet Kowloon Tong, after which they play Recreio in the last match of the programme.

To-day's match is of unusual interest as it will bring in opposition the two most successful pairs in the league, namely the Hussain brothers of Kowloon Indians, who have won all 27 sets played to date, and the Chan brothers of Kowloon Tong, whose record is but little behind that of the Hussain combination.

This set is certainly expected to produce some of the best tennis seen in the "C" Division this summer, and the outcome may be anything so well do the pairs appear to be matched.

The game is being played at Kowloon Tong, and will have no pleasure cruise. They will probably have to fight every inch in order to win, and the result may easily go in favour of the home team by the odd set.

Yesterday saw the Army Tennis Club finish their programme with a drawn match against Craigengower, this also being Craigengower's last game of the season.

Even without one of the Chan brothers, Kowloon Tong won quite comfortably against Chinese Recreation Club, while the Hussain Club, while it was the Hussain Club, and together with Firdos Khan and M. A. Khan who pulled the game through for K.I.T.C. against South China.

Details of the matches and the revised league table follow.

LEAGUE TABLE									
	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.	Sets	
Recreo	10	10	0	0	75½	14½	20		
K.I.T.C.	9	9	0	0	60½	14½	18		
S.C.A.A.	11	9	0	2	65½	33½	18		
K.T.G.C.A.	10	7	0	3	60	30	14		
A.T.C.	11	6	1	4	45	38	13		

K.C.C. (A) 11 4 1 6 44½ 54½ 9

H.K.U.T.C. 10 4 1 5 36½ 52½ 9

K.C.C. (B) 11 4 1 6 45 54 9

S.C.C.C. 11 2 1 7 27½ 62½ 5

C.C.C. 11 2 1 8 31 66 5

C.R.C. 9 1 0 8 28½ 52½ 2

I.R.C. 10 0 0 10 15½ 74½ 0

ARMY T.C. DRAW WITH CRAIGENGOWER

Results: N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 2-6; beat Q. M. S. Davies and S. Sgt. Cooper 6-3; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-1.

S. A. Cassumbhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.) lost to S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 1-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S. Sgt. Cooper 2-6; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-2.

L. Chao and D. Hung (C.C.C.) drew with S. M. Fowles and Q. M. S. Warr 6-6; lost to Q. M. S. Davies and S. Sgt. Cooper 6-3.

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SUCCESSFUL RACKET WIELDERS

IN "C" DIVISION OF TENNIS LEAGUE

The following are the most successful pairs to date in the "C" Division of the tennis league. Their performances include yesterday's matches.

"C" DIVISION

S. A. and S. S. Hussain 27 27 0 0

H. and A. Chan (K.T.G.C.A.) 24 23 0 0

G. F. Watson and S. B. Gagli 27 20 4 8

L. A. Silva and J. Xavier 24 19 2 9

M. A. Khan and Firdos Khan 27 18 0 0

Towles and Warr (A.T.C.) 27 18 0 0

V. Freeman and L. G. Kelly 20 17 10 0

G. and H. Nurnha (Recreo) 18 10 1 1

A. M. Silva and Gonsalves 15 14 1 0

(Recreo) 30 13 14 5

Davies and Cooper (A.T.C.) 24 11 9 4

King and O'Connor (A.T.C.) 24 10 2 0

O. L. Pang and W. T. G.O.A.A. 18 10 7 1

C. Wei and C. L. Ma (C.R.C.) 18 10 7 1

D. Orr and A. Philippa 15 9 7 2

N. and M. (S.C.C.A.) 15 9 7 2

W. Gitting and G. A. White 15 9 7 2

G. She and Y. O. Yee 15 7 7 1

N. Azeff and J. 15 7 4 4

F. A. Broadbridge and J. S. Smith (K.C.C.) 12 6 6 0

G. F. Jentley and M. Wood (S.C.C.) 12 6 4 2

A. M. Silva and H. 5 5 0 1

(Recreo) 0 0 1 0

C. Chan and C. L. Lau (S.C.A.A.) 0 0 1 0

A. Bivar and S. S. 15 5 10 0

N. P. Karanjia and O. Sadick 24 5 17 2

(C.C.C.) 6 4 2 0

H. Noronha and H. Gonsalves (Recreo) 6 4 2 0

S. (S.C.A.A.) 6 4 2 0

S. Cassumbhoy and A. Hung (C.C.C.) 18 4 13 1

H. Chan and K. H. Wong (S.C.A.A.) 3 3 0 0

F. A. Broadbridge and J. S. Smith (K.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

C. Chan and K. H. Wong (S.C.A.A.) 3 3 0 0

N. J. Bellington and A. L. Fisher (K.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

A. Hume and O. Sadick (C.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

H. N. Chan and T. F. Lo (C.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

L. Chao and D. Hung (C.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

L. Chao and K. A. Hung (C.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

G. C. and K. A. Hung (C.C.C.) 3 3 0 0

M. K. Ma and S. S. 3 2 1 0

A. L. Fisher and F. A. Broadbridge (K.C.C.) 3 2 1 0

Y. N. Tai and M. C. Hung (University) 3 2 1 0

K. (University) 3 2 1 0

S. Ha and P. C. Yu (University) 3 2 1 0

A. L. Lau and S. S. 3 2 1 0

G. W. and P. C. Yu (K.T.G.C.A.) 3 2 1 0

M. A. and M. P. Khan (K.I.T.C.) 3 2 1 0

H. P. Kuo and R. Ma (S.C.A.A.) 3 2 1 0

A. M. Silva and F. J. Remedios (Recreo) 3 2 1 0

N. P. Karanjia and C. W. Lam (C.C.C.) 3 2 1 0

MEAD SUMMONED FOR NOT MAINTAINING HIS MOTHER

Philip Mead, the Hampshire county cricketer, was summoned at South-Western police court, London, last month, for not maintaining, when of sufficient means, his mother, Louisa Hannah Mead.

Mr. F. M. Conlan, prosecuting for the L.C.C., said that Mead's mother had been in a Poor Law institution and was chargeable to the L.C.C. She was 73 years of age.

Mead was a married man with three children.

Mr. Claud Mullins, the magistrate, made an order for 7s. 6d. a week.

China Is To Follow Germany's Lead

AND ORGANISE SPORTS ON OLYMPIC LINES

Berlin, Aug. 18. Dr. C. T. Wang, the chairman of the China National Amateur Athletic Federation, and Mr. Sung, the leader of the Chinese Olympic team, to-day were presented by Dr. Frick, German Minister of the Interior, with the German Olympic medal of honour in recognition of their services in ensuring China's representation at the XIII Olympic Games at Berlin.

SHORT HISTORY OF AUSTRALIAN CRICKET

WHEN SPOFFORTH MADE HIS FIRST APPEARANCE

ARTICLE VI
(By R. Abbit)

The English team had been more or less happy at Ballarat, but they had next to move to a place called Stawell which was seventy four miles away and the road was little else but a bush track. I am not precisely sure what a Cobb's coach may be but it is clearly not as comfortable as a modern car! And for twelve hours W. G. and his protesting team were bumped across country to their destination.

However, it seems that they received a most warm welcome and they had a day's rest during which W. G. and Gilbert went shooting and most of the others visited the gold mine there—reputedly a very wealthy one. It was just as well that they had a pleasant day as the game, against the local twenty-two as usual, was a dreadful experience. The wicket was so rough and dusty that on one occasion a slow ball failed to reach the batsman at all, while no amount of force could hit the ball along the ground to the boundary. Suffice it to say that the local side—better used to these conditions—won by ten wickets in a couple of days. W. G. had had enough of it and went off shooting but six professionals took on twelve of the local people at single wicket and got a horrible licking. As W. G. pointed out on many occasions if the wicket is not only bad but absurdly bad, all players are reduced to the same level.

MORE TROUBLES

The troubles of the side, however, were not yet over. Having suffered very much from dust on the first drive, they now met mud, on their journey to Warrumbungle via Ararat and apparently they could have done with the arid, as it rained in torrents during a ninety mile drive. They finally arrived soaked to the skin, with their baggage also sodden with wet. The usual warm welcome was given them at the hotel, where they arrived very late, but the English skipper was definitely peevisish when he was knocked up by a reporter at midnight, and apparently the "interview" was neither long nor successful.

The cricket, thanks to the fact that the wicket had been transformed by the rain into a slushy mess, was a little easier and the English side about half way through the second day had won by nine wickets. As usual there was a single wicket match, W. G., Bush, Gilbert and G. F. Grace took on ten local men but it was a draw. There are some curious side-lights on the way things went in Australia in those days. It is recorded that card-sharps and professional gamblers swarmed on the ground and plied their trade in complete disregard of the police. The local authorities also had let the catering for "three days" and not for the match, so instead of the English team all getting a day off, six professionals and five local men took on eighteen local men to fill up the third day and got soundly beaten. The others seem to have gone to King's Park shooting, and had a pretty good time. From here the team went to Melbourne, exchanging the pains of land travel for those of sea-faring. The usual sea-sickness came on and for sixteen hours they had a bad time which was repeated a couple of days later on their voyage up to Sydney.

SPOFFORTH'S FIRST MATCH
The match which was played there against an eighteen of New South Wales marks the first appearance of Spofforth, who got two wickets for sixteen in the second innings. Altogether the English side did not cover themselves with glory and were beaten by eight wickets. They next were due to go to Maitland but the ground was under water and so they dodged a journey by sea and had a train journey for a change—"slow railway" travelling which, however, proved infinitely more agreeable than our travelling adventures in the lumbering coaches in the bush, and the tossing little steamers of the coast. There was quite a good match at Bathurst and England won by eight wickets. The Governor of New South Wales, Sir Hercules Robinson went along and saw the match. He had been Governor of Hongkong from 1859 to 1865.

Thence they returned to Sydney and played a combined fifteen of Victoria and New South Wales. It was in this match that the rather unpleasant episode of the batsman who would not go out took place. But it did not prevent a most hearty welcome by the spectators when later on the game was finished off in the favour of England.

They had the usual bad trip down to Melbourne, somewhat cheered by an enormous oyster supper when W. G. purchased a sack of oysters which was part of the ship's freight. But they did not stop long in Melbourne, but went on to Sandhurst and afterwards to Castlemaine. As usual the wickets were terrible and W. G. mentions that their lives were scared nearly out of them by the reckless way in which coach drivers took steep hills at a gallop.

After a return to Melbourne where England beat a Fifteen of Victoria by seven wickets they left for the usual Tasmanian trip where a couple of games were won. The impression left on my mind is that the cricket in Tasmania then was considered better than that in Australia, though possibly the fact that there was a perfect road for the drive of a hundred and twenty-five miles from Lanneston to Hobart Town may have rendered W. G. a bit more appreciative. He certainly enjoyed the apples. The most notable cricket feature was a score of 154 by G. F. Grace, which stood as a record in Tasmania for a good many years.

The tour was drawing to an end. There was a drawn match at Melbourne and then a desperate sea voyage and another bumpy drive through bush country to Kadina. W. G. already mentioned the awful ground there, and the extra match that was played at Adelaide.

TOUR CONCLUDES

This was the end of the tour and the side returned home reaching England on 18th May. The impression left on me by reading W. G. Grace's account of it—which by the way was written about a quarter of a century after the tour—is that while he liked the people at the big towns, he did not enjoy the hardships of transport or of the wicket which had to be suffered during most of the up-country games. There is a story told by Mr. Altham that W. G. said, at a farewell dinner to Boyle, who came to England in the 1873 side: "If you ever come to England and your bowlers are as good there as they are here, you will make a name for yourselves." They did.

Reverting once more to the question of the journeys which in those days were, with the exception of sea trips round the coast and one bit of railway from Sydney to Bathurst, made by coach, I had supposed that it was a thing of the very distant past. But I was most interested and surprised to hear from a local gentleman who follows cricket very closely that though there are up to date trains all is not yet perfect. He writes—

"Curiously enough, similar complaint exists to-day in respect of the train journey from Melbourne to Sydney, concerning which a member of the Rugby League team which recently toured Australia, says: 'this journey is about the world's worst.' Dinner is of the bit and miss variety, that is to say, one mouthful of food hits its objective O.K., but it is never a 5 to 4 chance that the next has the same luck. When you attempt to drink coffee, the odds are distinctly against a successful coup. To sleep in such a 'rotter' is difficult—in fact some of our newcomers had a very poor night."

But the length of the voyage is a thing of the past. I gather you got to Perth or rather Fremantle sooner than you do to Hongkong if you leave Marseilles at the same time. And Cathay would be amazed at the size and the luxury of the modern liner which goes to Australia! (To be continued.)

SMALL UNITS GALA

SPLENDID EVENT AT Y.M.C.A.
KEEN RIVALRY

The Annual Aquatic Meeting of the Small Units Sports Club was held last night at the Y.M.C.A. swimming-bath, a large group of friends turning up to cheer on the participants. Major G. A. Beagle-Brown, R.A.S.C., presided as referee.

The strong R.A.M.C. swimmer, Private Wright won the first individual honour, the 220 yards Free Style, Sigma Bonham, R.C.S., placing second. The Inter-Unit Diving Competition for the Championship Challenge Cup was won by the R.A.M.C. with a total of 117½ points. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E, Lan. Reg. and Mr. R. Goldman, were the diving judges.

Private Wright won the 50 yard Dash as well, with Private Lawler, R.A.O.C. following. Mrs. Burke won the 25 yards Ladies' Race, while Miss Fallowfield was placed second. In the 100 yards Breast Stroke for individual honours, Private Hughes, R.A.M.C. was placed first, with Private Harris of the same Unit close behind.

Lieut. Grossman, R.A.O.C. won the 50 yard Officers' Race. Private Wright again came to the front in the 400 yards, when he earned an ovation by finishing the race two lengths ahead of the second man, Private Underwood and the third man, the latter two fighting gamely to the end of the 16 length race.

The final event on the programme was the Inter-Unit Relay Race which was won again by the R.A.M.C. In the early part of the race, R.A.M.C. was quite far behind, but a burst of speed by the fourth man in the team of six not only cut down his Unit's losing margin, but managed to put the race well in the winner's hands. Private Wright, anchor man, finished the Meet in a final burst of speed.

Officials in the Meeting, in addition to the Referee, were Capt. G. S. O'N. Power, R. Signals, Capt. L. J. Welch, R.A.S.C., Capt. J. Boyle, R.A.M.C., and Lieut. G. Gillman, who served as Judges. Lieut. C. C. S. Genese, 2/E, Lane. Reg. was starter, while Lieut. F. W. Stevens, R.A.O.C. and Sgt. W. S. Reeve, R.A.O.C. were the time keepers. The Chief Whip was Mr. Q.M.S. J. McGarry, R.A.M.C. Hon. Secretary, Lieut. E. H. Reeder, R.A.S.C.; Announcer, C.S.M. T. W. R. Sablin, R.A.S.C. and the Recorder was S/Sgt. A. Benson, R.A.S.C.

Actually, Lance Corporal Pearce of the Royal Engineers was followed by Private Taylor, East Lancs., and Lieut. Calvert of the Royal Engineers in that order.

K.I.T.C. STILL WINNING

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and S/Sgt. Cooper 3-6; beat Sgt. O'Connor and L/Cpl. Tudor 6-2.

KOWLOON TONG BEATS C.R.C.
Results: O. L. Pang and K. C. Yee (K.T.C.) beat H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-1.

A. Chan and W. H. Wei (K.T.C.) beat H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 6-3; beat C. Wei and S. L. Ma 6-4; beat P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 6-1.

J. F. Li and Mok Ling (K.T.C.) lost to H. N. Chau and T. F. Lo 1-6; lost to C. Wei and S. L. Ma 2-6; lost to P. F. Li and P. H. Kwok 3-0.

SOUTH CHINA A.A. BEATEN
N. K. Ma and Y. K. Ng lost to S. S. and S. A. Hussain 1-6; beat Firdos Khan and M. M. Khan 6-3; beat Mahan Singh and T. M. V. Devan 6-2.

T. T. Ma and P. Y. Kwok lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 5-7; lost to Mahan Singh and Devan 6-0.

J. Mok and Y. L. Kwan lost to Hussain and Hussain 2-6; lost to Khan and Khan 2-6; beat Mahan Singh and Devan 6-4.

Mr. J. R. Masson returned to the Colony yesterday after a brief visit to Shanghai.

Three cases of Typhoid were reported to the local health authorities on Wednesday.

Four Shanghai Swimming Records Lowered

SPLENDID PERFORMANCES BY JAPANESE AND AMERICAN

In four out of the five championship swimming events held at the Cercle Sportif Français gala last week, existing Shanghai records were broken. Honours were divided between M. Matsushita, the Japanese swimmer who lowered the middle distance records and T. Britton, the 16-year-old American who set up new marks in the sprint events. The backstroke, the only ladies' championship event of the evening was won by Miss S. Brabner.

Tommy Britton lowered the existing Shanghai record for the 50 yards men's free style, jointly held previously by Noel Hammond and Frank Hadley at 25 2/5 seconds. Britton's time last night was 23 seconds, which considering the straight swim without a turn is very good. L. Oliveira sprang a surprise by taking second place, beating A. Gavriloff by a touch. Britton also won the 100 yards junior free style championship, lowering his own record made last year of 50 2/5 seconds and setting up the new mark of 50 1/5 seconds.

Confirming predictions, M. Matsushita broke two existing Shanghai records. He finished an easy winner in the 400 yards free style, and lower- ed the existing record of 5 minutes 5 minutes 40 2/5 seconds, being recorded at 5 minutes 34 1/5 seconds last night. D. Smith, the 15-year-old American, had also broken the old record, finishing second in 5 minutes 44 seconds, and T. Tonishi was third. M. Matsushita was given a good race by his colleague T. Tonishi in the 220 yards free style, and won by five yards in the new record of 2 minutes 32 4/5 seconds, as compared with Hammond's old mark of 2 minutes 34 seconds. D. Smith was third.

Miss Stephanie Brabner won the ladies 50 yards backstroke event from Miss Helen Rodriguez, the time for the race being 43 seconds. The existing record is 38 seconds held by Mrs. V. E. Raven (nee Miss V. E. Schmidt).

In the concluding water polo match of the evening, the French Club defeated a Bowling Club team by four goals to one, after leading by two goals to nil at the interval.

BRITTON'S BAD LUCK

Tommy Britton swam half the length of the pool as a result of a false start in the 50 yards championship event before he was stopped. He was given ten minutes to rest before the start was made again, and on this occasion all four got away very level. Britton held level with Gavriloff for the first half of the race, but the latter went slightly ahead with his longer and more powerful strokes, Oliveira coming up at the end to contest second place with Gavriloff. Britton won by five feet, with Oliveira second, a touch ahead of Gavriloff.

M. Matsushita set a fast pace for the earlier phases of the 400 yards free style championship. A. Logan attempted to hold level with him, but could not stay the pace and after two lengths dropped back. D. Smith and T. Konishi swam level in third place, 25 yards behind Matsushita, and 10 yards behind Logan but came up to pass Logan in the turn into the fourth length. Matsushita could not increase his lead on Smith and Konishi, and went on to win by 25 yards.

Gavriloff got away to a fine start in the junior 100 yards and led Britton for the first lap, but the latter came up very strongly at the turn, and within a stroke was level, going on to win by five feet, Gavriloff being second.

Khoo's Mother at Deathbed After Tragic Vigil

Penang, July 31.

Semi-conscious, scarcely able to recognise his closest friends, and with his eyesight failing him, Khoo Hoo-hye, perhaps the most famous of all Chinese tennis players, died at his mother's home here on Sunday in tragic circumstances.

His last words to his mother, who had kept a bedside watch on her stricken son almost continually for the three weeks of his long illness, were: "What is that fire? I see smoke! What is that fire? I see smoke!" A sudden silence fell in the room as death claimed a great sportsman. He breathed his last at 5 p.m., surrounded by a despairing group of friends and relatives.

That the late Khoo Hoo-hye was held in great esteem by many was evident in the huge representative attendance at the funeral yesterday, the gathering including numbers of prominent members of the Chinese community, local sportsmen, both foreign and Chinese, and legions of his admirers. Moving tribute was paid to the Chinese sportsman by the huge number of floral wreaths which were piled high on the funeral carriages.

Dense crowds lined the route of the funeral procession and as the remains of the veteran athlete wound its way to its last resting place a deep silence marked its progress. He was interred at the Khoo family cemetery, Thean Tek Estate.

The greatest tribute of all came from Khoo Hoo-hye's grief-stricken mother. "He was a dutiful son, and a fine man," she said shortly after her sad bereavement.

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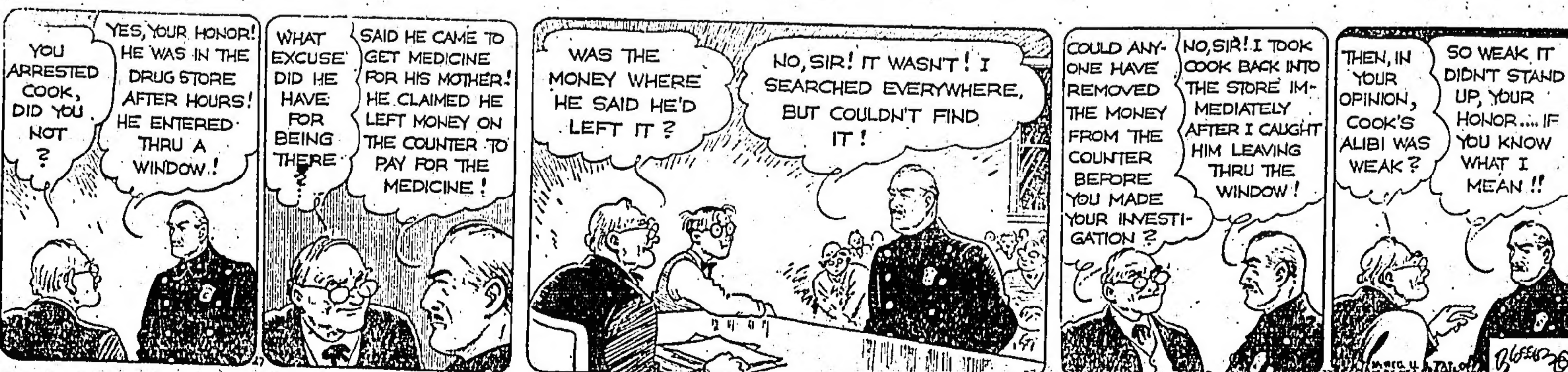
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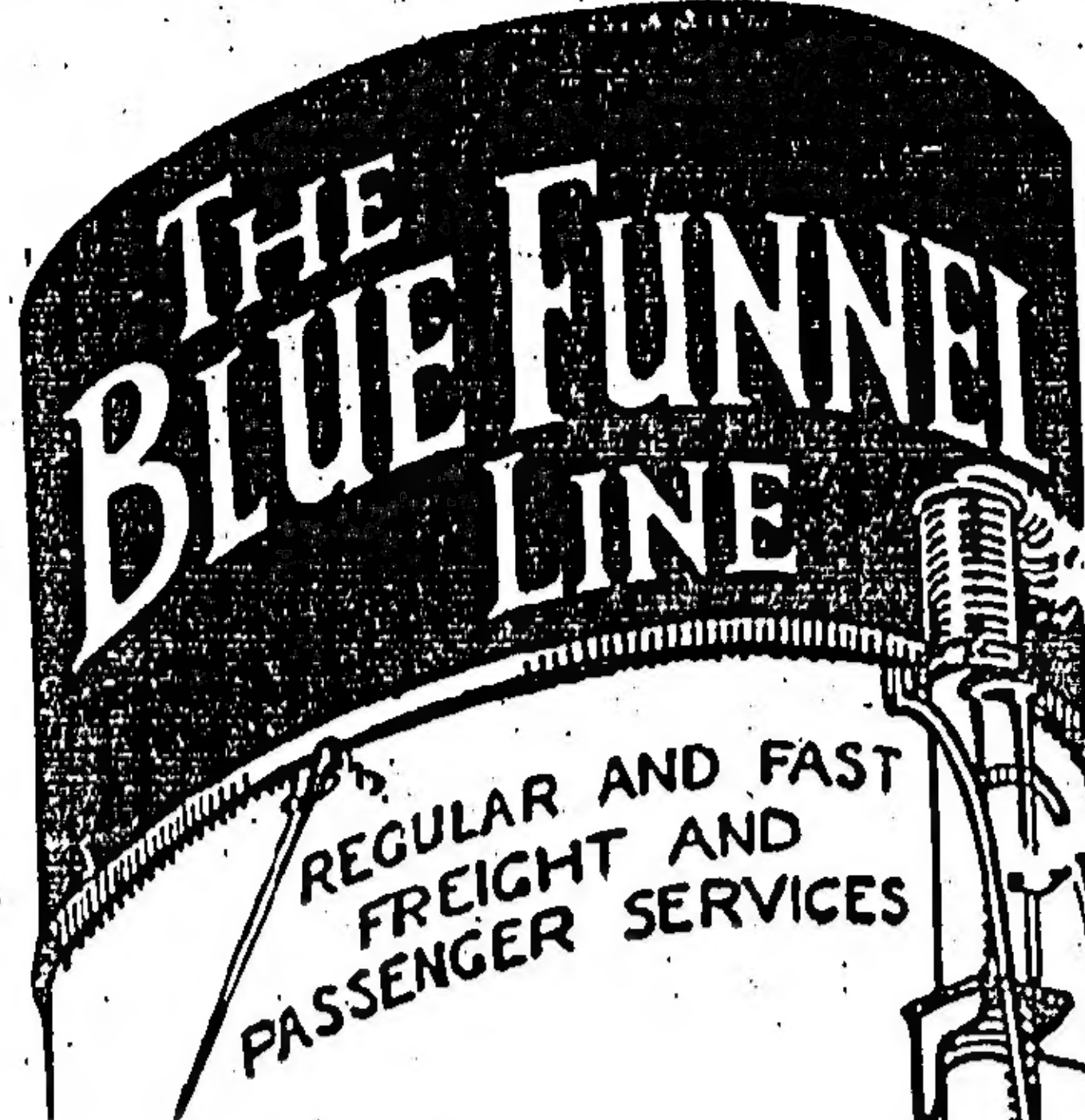
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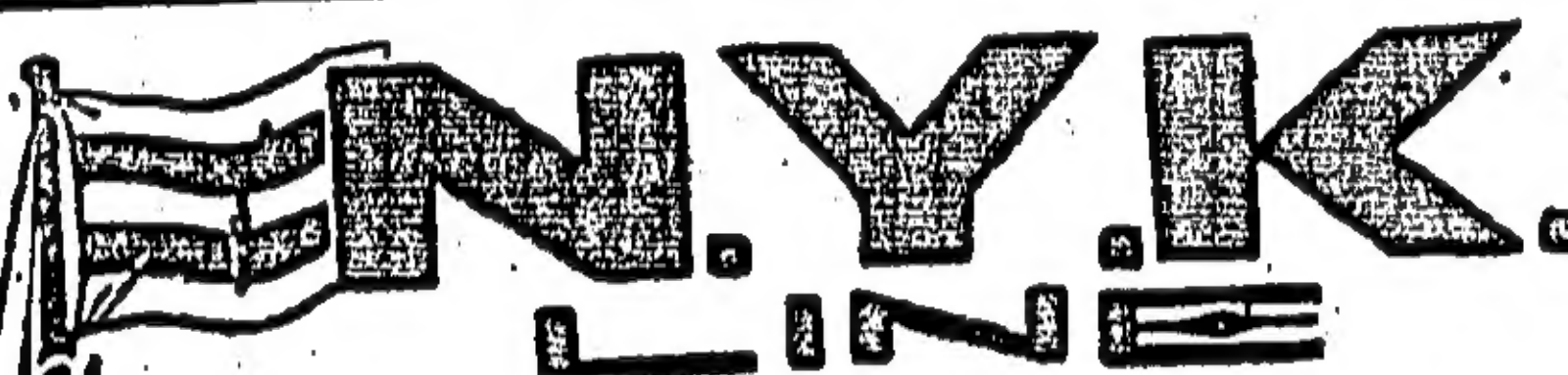
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summarises the League of Nations' "Interim Report of the Mixed Committee on the Problem of Nutrition" (Allen and Unwin, 2s.)

JUST as a starving man, gazing hungrily at the food he is denied, may yield to an ungovernable impulse and smash the plate-glass window, so, too, with hungry nations craving over the barriers of their own economic nationalism.

But the first which does the smashing may be the mailed fist of armed Dictatorship.

In the one case, it is called "larceny," and in the other, "economic expansion."

But in a world of abundance, the privation which drives either an individual or a nation to desperation is intolerable.

World Challenge

That is made abundantly plain in this report of the committee, of which Lord Astor is chairman and on which are represented the League of Nations Health Committee, the International Labour Office and the International Institute of Agriculture. The other British delegate is Professor Edward Mellanby, Secretary-General of the Medical Research Council.

It is a challenge to the world to find salvation in healthy, well-fed people, to "marry health to agriculture," with Peace as the sacrament. It extends the British findings of Sir John Orr to the whole world.

"The economic interests of the community as a whole are bound up in maintaining the standard of physical efficiency among the people and laying the foundations of the health and well-being of future generations," says the report.

"Moreover there is a definite social and political interest in the accomplishment of this task, owing to the well-ascertained relationship between the deficiency of food, and especially of protective foods, and social unrest."

It takes as its background the policy of the International Labour Office that "raising living standards in all countries is a condition sine qua non of social justice and peace."

"Just as there are supreme National Defence Councils and National Economic Councils, so there should also be a National Food Council."

Raise Incomes!

And the function of those State councils would be to see that adequate food was available for everyone, watch family budgets, control food resources.

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THE WORLD Starves Its Way to WAR

True elsewhere—"The average diet of the lower income groups is inadequate for good health."

"At the most legislative control aims at assuring a 'living wage' or a 'reasonable wage.' These are concepts which assume levels of nutrition actually existent rather than ideal standards."

"The 'Depression' behind which so many Governments took refuge from the blame for social ills was not the cause of the widespread malnutrition; it only intensified the existing ill."

"Adequate nutrition cannot be assured by a policy directed exclusively towards countering the effects of the depression."

"The main cause of malnutrition is poverty. Malnutrition can never be overcome when poverty is its principal cause, except by increasing the income of the poor."

The report argues that the price of foodstuffs could be substantially reduced by limiting the disproportionate costs of distribution.

Starvation Facts

What a picture the report paints of a half-starved world!

Mothers dying because they have either been denied food as children, and, through rickets, have contracted skeletons which increase the risks of childbirth, or because they have given what nourishment they received to their unborn child and have no resistance to infection or endurance.

In America, 316 out of 576 mothers suffered painful muscular soreness because they were giving out of their own bodies to their unborn children more calcium than they were getting in their diet.

So, too, in Norway, three-fourths of the mothers were calcium deficient.

In London, 50 per cent. of nursing mothers examined were anemic.

Among the infants, the League of Nations inquiry found that infant mortality was largely due to "the pernicious combination of poverty and ignorance."

Among the pre-school children appears malformations of the bones, abnormality of the pharynx due to bad feeding. The five-year-olds examined on entering London schools were found to have 67 per cent. to 88 per cent. abnormality

Damaged Goods

In an American city, 90 per cent. were found to be receiving inadequate food.

"In the early stages of school-life many of the children are already damaged goods."

And then they attack the definition of "malnutrition," behind which the authorities have sheltered so complacently, based on measurements and weight.

"Whereas such results of improper feeding as subnormal growth and weight can usually be rapidly improved by better feeding, the more chronic conditions cannot be so easily remedied."

Prevention rather than treatment of the disease must be more emphatically stressed.

"Even on the present basis of diagnosis there is abundant evidence of malnutrition—20 per cent. to 30 per cent. of the children in the poor quarters of Paris ... as frequent in Yugoslavia ... in Poland, 25 per cent. ill-nourished in certain regions, 7 per cent. of them threatened with tuberculosis, and 50 per cent. requiring additional meals ... In U.S., 71 million children undernourished ... nearly all the children of the Negro population of New York were suffering from rickets ... 83 per cent. of the children of Connecticut ... 43 per cent. of the children in the village of North Norway ... 33 to 67 per cent. in the two northern counties of Sweden."

Recruits

Tuberculosis is increasing among the adolescents, and particularly among young girls.

"This state of affairs has been ascribed by some to the modern habit of slimming; by others to the greater expenditure dictated



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proportion of men rejected has risen between 1923 and 1932 from 45.25 to 67.78 per thousand?"

Starvation, they point out, is rampant even in rural areas.

The Committee, among its main interim recommendations to the Assembly, urged that Governments should—

Consider what steps should be taken, whether at the public charge or otherwise, to meet the nutritional needs of the lower income sections of the community; Consider whether any modification of their general economic and commercial policy is desirable to ensure adequate supplies of foodstuffs, and, in particular, to assist the re-orientation of agricultural policy;

Take all possible steps to make food supplies available at prices within the reach of all classes;

Take steps to improve and cheapen marketing and encourage collaboration between co-operative and other forms of producers' and consumers' organisations.

Way To Peace

This is only a preamble to the full report, but it already points the way to the nations to a world economy based upon health through the proper distribution of the wealth of food and the proper organisation of agriculture; to a world peace through healthy minds in healthy bodies; to a true 20th century civilisation.



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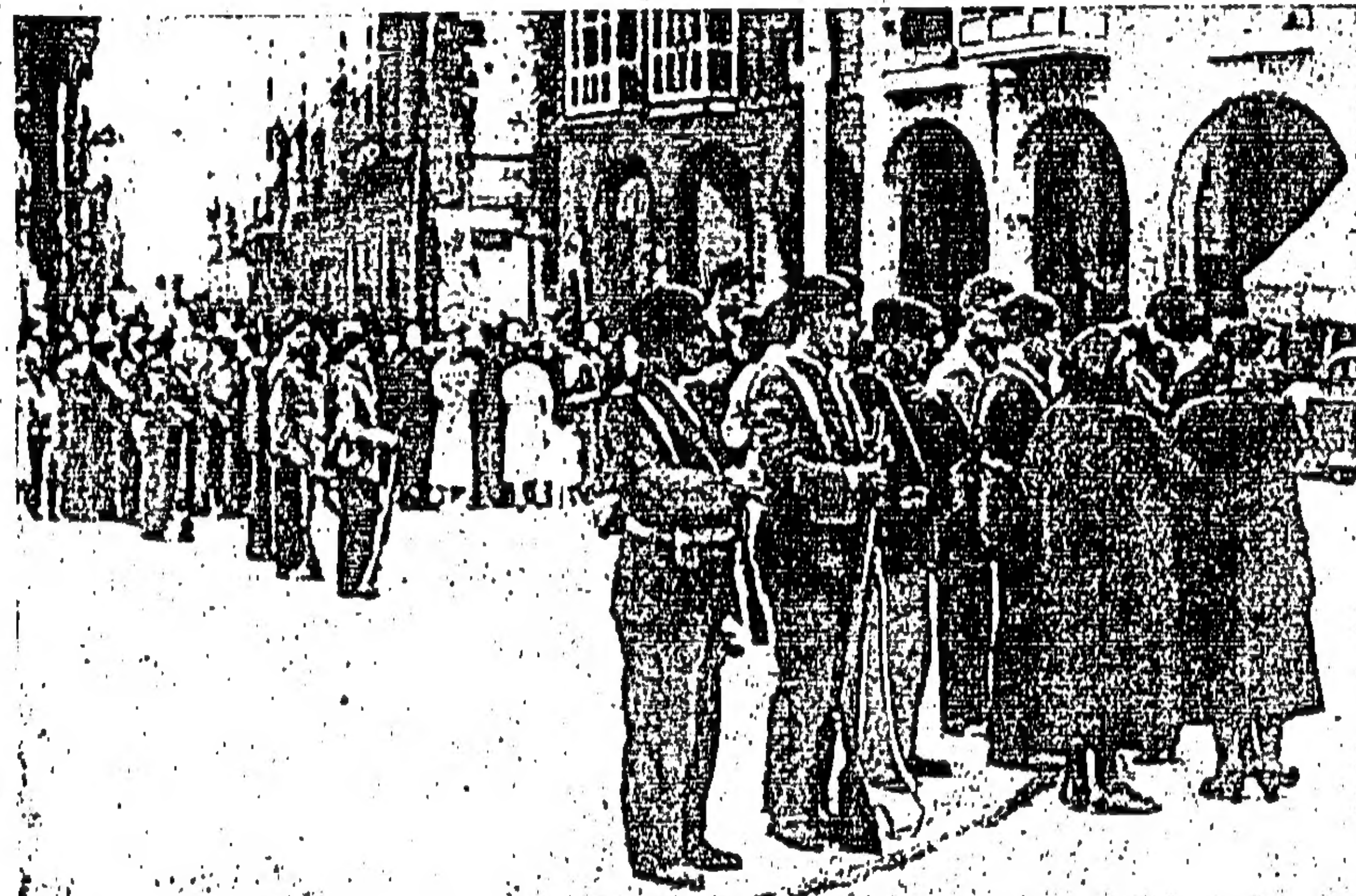
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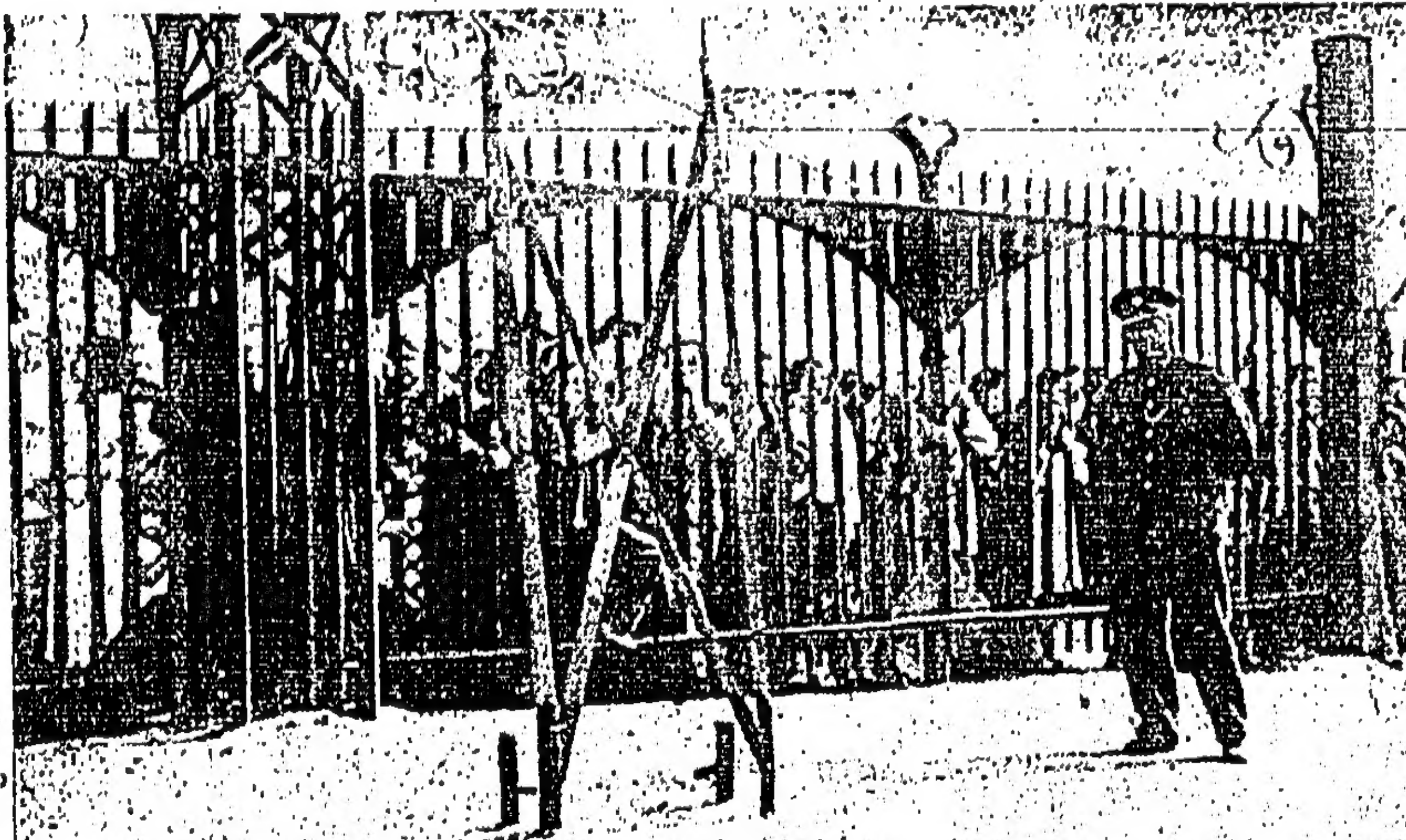
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Fascist rebel cavalry parade at Burgos, headquarters of General Mola, ready to march on Madrid.



BURGOS is now the Northern Headquarters of the Spanish revolutionaries. Troops waiting to march on Madrid.



Refugees pressing against the British railings dividing Gibraltar from Spain.

'AND MAY THE PACIFIC BE PACIFIC'



A little toast to better understanding between America and Japan was offered by Admiral Zengo Yoshida, commanding the Imperial Japanese Training Squadron, when he received Rear Adm. E. H. Campbell, commandant of the 12th Naval District, at San Francisco. The squadron, carrying naval cadets as well as officers and crew, will also visit Los Angeles and New York.

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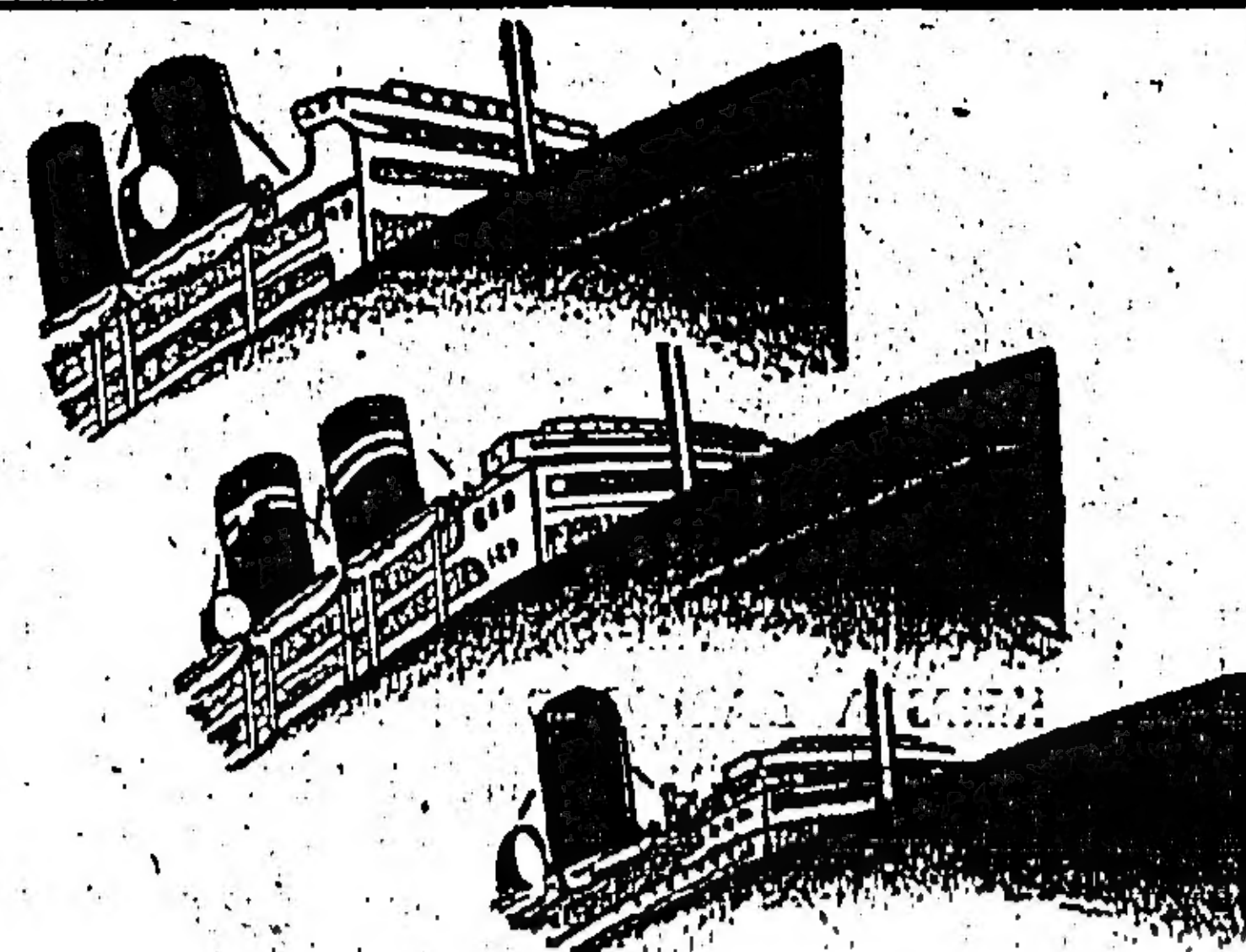
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Pastors Challenge "Deified" Hitler

Berlin, Aug. 10.

PASTOR NIEMOLLER, former U-boat commander, and other leaders of the German Confessional Church [the Protestant "Opposition"] are demanding a reply to a vigorous protest which, it is now revealed, was sent to Hitler after Whitsun.

The protest was:
Against the existence of concentration camps in Germany;
against the measures of the secret State police;
against the alleged falsification of votes at the last election; and
against what is held to be the deification of Hitler.

The Confessional Church has now notified Herr Kerl, Hitler's Church Minister, that it will make the terms of the protest public if a reply is not received by August 1.

"He Is Haloed"

The protest memorandum accuses the Government of "dechristianising" the nation. Referring to Hitler, it says:—

"We are obliged to communicate to the Führer our anxiety at the fact that honour is accorded to him which is due only to God. At the present time his judgment is more and more made the standard not only in political decisions, but also in morality and law, and he himself is haloed with the religious authority of national priest, and even made the intermediary between God and the nation. In another passage the memorandum says:—

The Evangelical conscience feels itself most deeply concerned that there are still concentration camps in Germany, and that the notion of the secret State police is not subject to judicial examination."

Freedom Demand

The protest concludes by asking for freedom for the nation "so that our people may walk in God and our grandfathers may not curse their forefathers who built a State on earth but closed to them the gates of God's Kingdom."

With regard to the last election the memorandum complains that "the needs of the nation were put above the demands of truth."—Reuter.

U-Boat Pastor

Leads Church Fight

DR. MARTIN NIEMOLLER, leader of the thousands of German Protestant clergymen who still defy the State's attempts to "Nazify" the Church, was a Submarine commander in the war, and was decorated for bravery.

The Ministry of Ecclesiastical Affairs, of which Herr Kerl is chief, was created by Hitler to exercise control over the Protestant Churches and weld them into a single Church, submissive to the Nazi State.

THE TRAFFIC TOLL

THREE PEOPLE KILLED AND THIRTY-ONE INJURED

In the Colony of Hongkong including the island, Kowloon and the New Territories during the week ending at 8 a.m. on Saturday, August 15, there were altogether 59 traffic accidents, as the result of which three persons were killed and 31 persons were injured. Of the persons killed, a Chinese male child died as the result of injuries received when he was knocked down by a motor lorry whilst running across the street. One Chinese female, aged about 50 years, who ran across the street in front of a motor lorry, was knocked down and fatally injured. A Chinese male bus passenger died as the result of injuries received while alighting from a moving motor bus.

Jay Walkers

Of the persons injured, 20 were pedestrians who were either walking

SPECIAL TYPHOON PICTURES

IN TO-MORROW'S SUPPLEMENT

A special selection of typhoon pictures, eminently suitable for sending home to relatives and friends, will appear in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Pictorial Supplement.

These will give a graphic idea of the damage suffered ashore and afloat, both in Hongkong and Macao. Two pages of the Supplement will be devoted to these illustrations, which will include a big and most striking picture of the s.s. Sunning ashore at Junk Bay, clearly showing the vessel broken in two, with the fore part some 200 yards distant from the rest of the ship. Pictures of the damage suffered by bathing sheds at Repulse Bay will also appear in the Telegraph to-morrow.

or running across the road and were struck by vehicles.

One bus passenger and a tramcar passenger were injured while alighting from a moving motor bus and a moving tramcar respectively.

Two coolies were injured through falling from a moving motor lorry.

Two private motor car passengers were injured when the vehicle ran off the road onto a paddy field.

A motor cycle driver was injured when his vehicle capsized.

A private car driver and a female passenger were injured when their vehicles collided with the embankment of the road.

A bicycle rider and one vehicle passenger were injured as the result of collision between these.

Of the 59 accidents, 23 were collisions between vehicles, 20 were collisions between vehicles and pedestrians, and 10 accidents were due to other causes.

Knocked Down by Bus

While walking along Queen's Road Central, near Pedder Street on Wednesday, a man named Lam Mok was knocked down by motor-bus No. 84, and was admitted to the Government Civil Hospital for treatment.

Mystery Of Marshal Ney EXHUMATION TO BE MADE AFTER 90 YEARS

New York, Aug. 10. ALL that now remains of Peter Stuart Ney, fencing teacher, who died in North Carolina in 1846, will be exhumed next month, in an effort to determine the truth of his story that he was Marshal Ney of France, Bonaparte general.

According to history, Marshal Ney, a cooper's son, rose to fame with Napoleon, and was condemned to a traitor's death after Waterloo, being shot in Paris on December 7, 1815.

Deathbed Statement

In January 1816 a French fencing master who said his name was Peter Stuart Ney, landed at Charleston, South Carolina, and wandered from town to town teaching.

Years later he read in a newspaper of Napoleon's death at St. Helena, and fainted. Next day he was found wounded with his throat slashed.

He said, "With the death of Napoleon my last hopes have gone." Ney recovered, and by 1830 had settled in North Carolina, spending his leisure in correcting books on the lives of Napoleon and Marshal Ney.

On his deathbed sixteen years later he said: "I am Marshal Ney of France."

Scores of amateur historians swear that Peter Stuart Ney was really Michel Ney, Marshal of France; that he escaped death in Paris because the firing squad was composed of his friends, who put blank cartridges in their rifles.

Investigators will try to find a silver plate, bullet-nickel, in the ankle, discovery of which would prove Peter Stuart Ney, fencing teacher, was indeed Michel Ney, Marshal of France.

Oldest Bible Manuscript

PAPYRUS OF SECOND CENTURY B.C.

Four fragments of a papyrus roll of the Book of Deuteronomy, in the Greek version of the Septuagint, which were written in the Second Century B.C., have been found in a collection of Greek papyri in the John Rylands Library, Manchester.

"We can say with practical certainty," states Mr. C. H. Roberts, Fellow of St. John's, Oxford, who makes the first announcement of the discovery in his book, "Two Biblical Papyri," that the manuscript of which they formed a part was written in the Second Century B.C., and probably near the middle of the century.

"These fragments, then, are earlier by some 300 years than any other manuscript of any part of the Bible, and are, moreover, of more than sentimental interest, since they enable us to reach a definite conclusion about the type of text circulating in Egypt about 100 years after the first translation had been made in Alexandria."

Mr. Roberts describes how they came into the possession of the library.

"Enclosed in a bundle of miscellaneous papyri purchased for the library in 1917 by Dr. Rendel Harris," he states, "was an envelope containing two pieces of cartonnage—the papyrus wrapping used for the mummies, either of human beings or occasionally of the sacred crocodiles. It was not accompanied by any indication of the place of origin or the dealer from whom the papyrus was purchased."

300 YEARS B.C.

Papyrus, when used for mummy cartonnage, was cut into strips, glued together into three or four thicknesses to form a kind of paper-mache, and the outside coated with plaster and decorated with paint. It was used only as a background for plaster in the decoration of mummies during the three centuries preceding Christ.

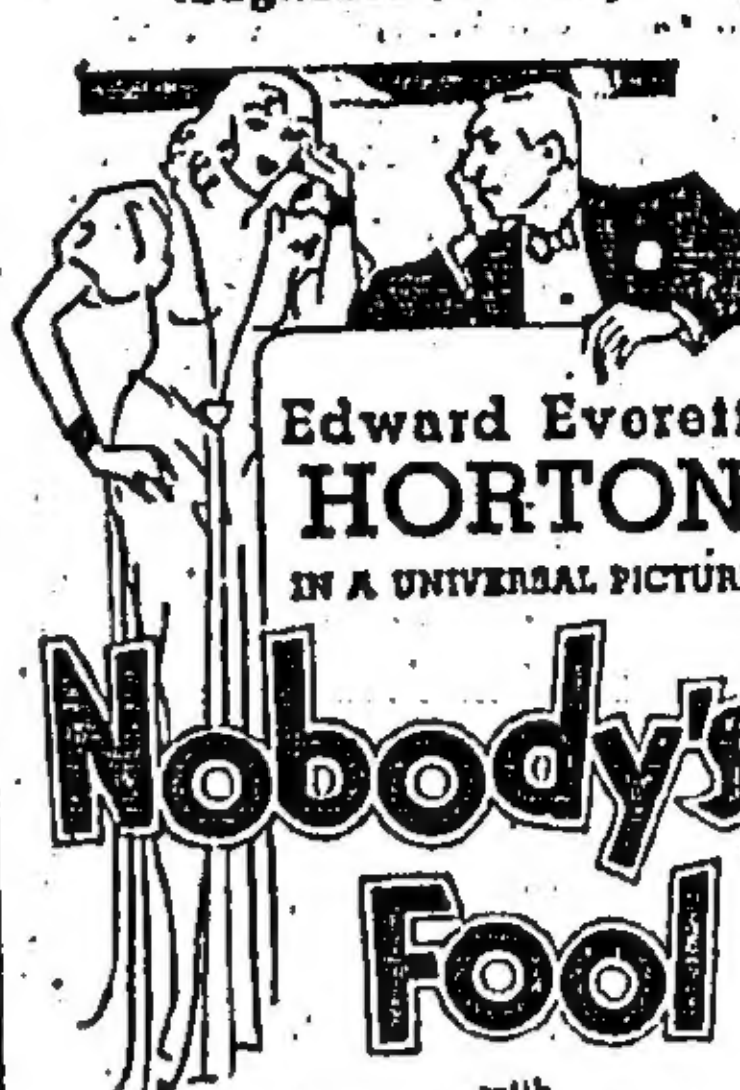
When the various strata—no fewer than six—were separated there were found fragments of at least four separate columns of a roll containing the Book of Deuteronomy, six fragments of a roll containing the Iliad (Book One), and other writings.

"It is possible," adds Mr. Roberts, "that the cartonnage may have come from the Fayum province of Egypt, where it was known that Jewish communities and synagogues existed at that time. To one of these the Deuteronomy text probably belonged."

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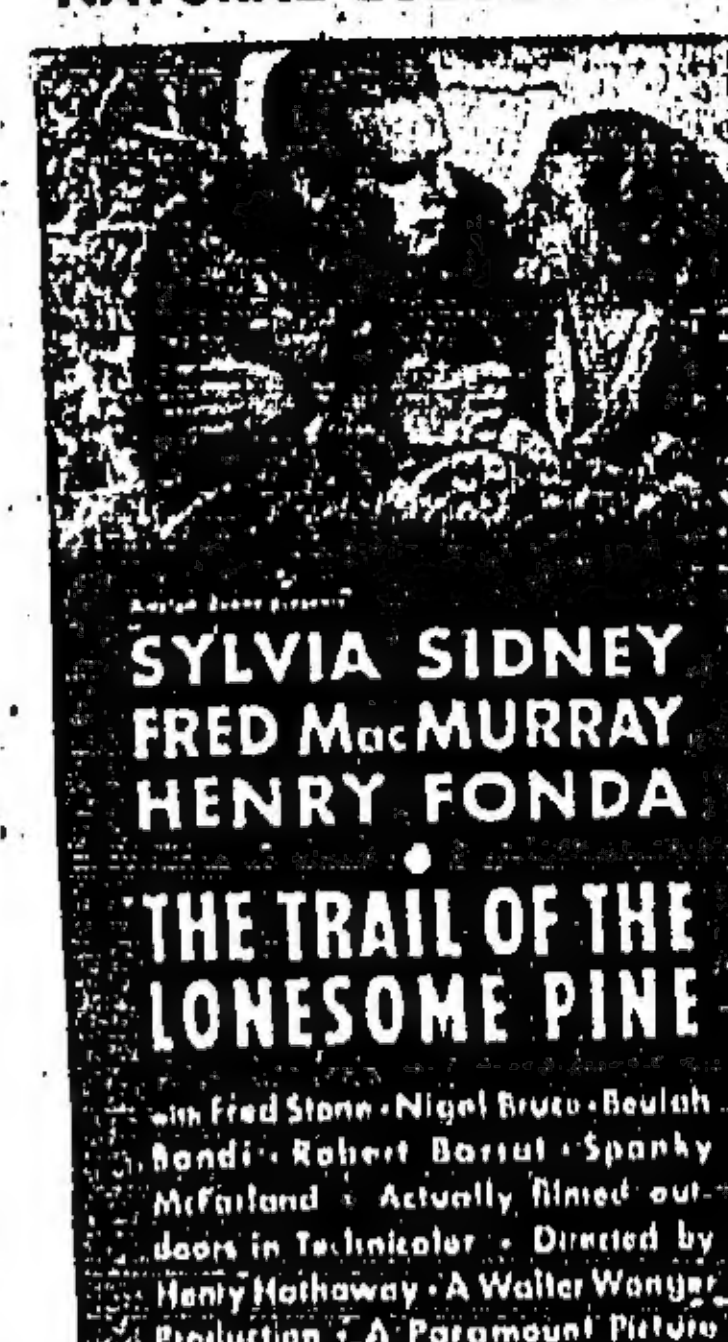
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